

row for the purpose of closing debate on House Bill No. 812.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate now adjourn.
Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Epperson moved that Senate Bill No. 334 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 334:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the payment into the State Treasury of the funds remaining in the hands of the Comptroller, caused by the failure of applicants to perfect their application in registering motor vehicles, and providing for refunding the same to the owners thereof when called for.

Was taken up.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 334 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 334 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 334 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 334 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Mapoles, Overstreet, Roland, Russell, Turnbull, Wells—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Taylor moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned until 10 o'clock A. M., Thursday, June 2, 1921.

Thursday, June 2, 1921

10 O'CLOCK A. M.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Huley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—32.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal of June 1 was dispensed with.

The Journal of June 1 was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 509) :

An Act authorizing Duval County to issue bonds for the construction of a bridge across Trout Creek and a bridge across McGirt's Creek.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 433) :

An Act relating to and making unlawful the setting and starting of fires in Everglades Drainage District, fixing responsibility for fires and requiring the extinguishment of the same regulating the accumulation or burning of brush heaps and other inflammable material, and vesting the Fire Warden with police powers with reference thereto; to authorize the Governor to appoint a Fire Warden; to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District to pay such Fire Warden and other services, and to purchase material for abating and preventing fires; to authorize said Board to adopt and promulgate rules and regulations with reference to fires; to provide for rewards and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 426) :

An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction for Escambia County, Florida, to borrow money for school purposes for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1921, and July 1, 1922; to give negotiable notes or evidences of indebtedness therefor; to renew, refund or borrow money to pay such indebtedness and to authorize the validation of such indebtedness and the evidences thereof.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. O. M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 354) :

An Act to appropriate sufficient funds to pay the deficiency in salaries of the members of the State Board of Examiners.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 219) :

An Act for the relief of the Pepper Printing Company of Gainesville, Florida, and to reimburse said Pepper Printing Company for the expense of furnishing certain printed matter to the Florida Agricultural Experiment Station, Co-operative Extension Division, upon the request of the Board of Control.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 498) :

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to use the surplus money in excess of the budget in building a parental home.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber.

Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

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(Senate Bill No. 468):

An Act to permit and authorize the Board of Supervisors of the Limestone Drainage District to borrow money and to pay interest thereon and to pledge the property and the assets of said district for security thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 480):

An Act to legalize, validate, confirm and approve the sections of the City Council of the City of Miami, Florida, calling an election for a charter board to prepare a charter for said city; the election held under said call, the acts and doings of said Charter Board in preparing said charter and submitting same to the electorate of said city at an election; the election held on said charter; and to legalize, validate, confirm and approve said charter as adopted by the electorate of the City of Miami, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 482):

An Act to amend 6683, Acts of 1913, Article XIII, Sections 1 and 3, as to the amount of bonds to be issued, and authorize the sale at less than par.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 484):

An Act regulating the open season for the hunting of wild deer and wild turkey in the Counties of Hardee, DeSoto, Highlands, Glades and Charlotte, in the State of Florida, and to authorize the County Commissioners of the Counties of Hardee, DeSoto, Highlands, Glades and Charlotte, to appropriate funds for the enforcement of this Act.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 512):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Holmes and State of Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of retiring the indebtedness of the General Road and Bridge Funds of said Board.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 498A):

An Act to permit and authorize the expenditure of the balance of the moneys in the Treasury of the Special Road and Bridge District No. 6 now located in Highlands and Glades Counties upon estimates approved by the Board of County Commissioners of DeSoto County, Florida, under the supervision of the State Road Department.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 161):

An Act to authorize and require Boards of Public Instruction to organize and maintain part-time schools; to prescribe regulations for the conduct of the same, and to make applicable thereto the provisions of Chapter 7808, Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 24):

An Act to amend Sections 4051, 4054 and 4056 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the publication of Notice of Applications for Charters of Corporations for profit, to the par value and payment of subscriptions of stock, and the requisites to be complied with before the transaction of business.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 328):

An Act to restrict aliens and non-residents in taking or catching shrimp and prawn for commercial purposes in the waters of the Atlantic Coast within the jurisdiction of the State of Florida, and to prescribe penalties for violating or aiding in the violation or evasion of such restrictions.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 517):

An Act relating to the salaries of the judges of the Cir-

cuit Courts of counties having a population of more than one hundred thousand according to the latest Federal census, and providing for a portion of such salaries to be paid from the general revenue of such counties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 252):

An Act to fix the compensation of the State Attorneys.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 500):

An Act to fix the per diem of the County Commissioners and members of the County Board of Public Instruction of Baker County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 520):

An Act to legalize and validate Ordinance No. 40 of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the issuing and sale of negotiable bonds of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, and to provide for the expenditure and disbursement of the funds received from the sale of such bonds," passed by the Board of Commissioners of Tarpon Springs, Florida, on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1920, and approved on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1920, by the Mayor of said city; and to legalize and validate the special election held on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1920, by the free-holders and otherwise qualified electors of said city under Section 7 of said Ordinance No. 40, and to legalize and make valid any and all bonds issued or which may hereafter be issued by the said City of Tarpon Springs, in pursuance of this Act and under Ordinance No. 40, and the proceedings and resolutions of the Board of Commissioners of the said City of Tarpon Springs, Florida; and to authorize and empower the Board of Commissioners of Tarpon Springs, Florida, by ordinance or resolution to fix, change, alter or extend the date or dates of maturity of said bonds to be issued under Ordinance No. 40 of said city.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 415):

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the special election held in certain territory, within the County of Lee, State of Florida, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1921, for the purpose of determining the question as to whether or not such territory should be constituted into a special road and bridge district and to issue bonds

to the amount of Seventy-four Thousand (\$74,000.00) Dollars; to validate and confirm all the acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, in and for Lee County, Florida, in constituting new prospect Special Road and Bridge District of Lee County, Florida; to validate and declare the said district to be legally created; to validate and confirm the issuance of bonds to the amount of Seventy-four Thousand (\$74,000.00) Dollars; to make such bonds a lien prior in dignity to all other liens against the lands, save and except State and county taxes; and validating and confirming all the acts and proceedings of the said Board of County Commissioners in providing a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 513):

An Act to ratify, confirm and validate the action and proceedings of every person, officer, board, and Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, State of Florida, in relation to the issuance of certain interest-bearing time warrants to provide funds for the building of certain public roads in Special Road and Bridge District Number 6 of said Levy County, Florida, and to authorize the said district to issue certain other and further interest-bearing

ing time warrants to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars and to authorize the levy of a special tax on the property within said district to pay the interest and retire said interest-bearing time warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 418):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the action and proceedings of every person, officer and of the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida, and of the Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District Number 1 of Levy County, Florida, in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for the building of roads and bridges in said Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 as the same were voted for by the freeholders of said district at an election held in said district January 15, 1920, and to provide for the powers and duties of the Bond Trustees of said district relative to said bonds.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 416):

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the special election held in certain territory within the County of Lee, State of Florida, on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1918, for the purpose of determining the question as to

whether or not such territory should be constituted into a special road and bridge district, and to issue bonds to the amount of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars; to validate and confirm all the acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners in and for Lee County, Florida, in constituting Pine Island Special Road and Bridge District of Lee County, Florida; to validate and declare the said district to be legally created; to validate and confirm the issuance of bonds to the amount of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars; to make such bonds a lien prior in dignity to all other liens against the lands save and except State and County taxes; and validating confirming all acts and the proceedings of the said Board of County Commissioners in providing a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds.

Beg leave to report that the same has been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee
on the part of the Senate.

Mr. O. M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 442):

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the special election held in certain territory within the County of Lee, State of Florida, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1916, for the purpose of determining the question as to whether or not such territory should be constituted into a special road and bridge district, and to issue bonds to

the amount of forty thousand (\$40,000) dollars; to validate and confirm all the acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners in and for Lee County, Florida, in constituting Special Road and Bridge District Number Four (4) of Lee County, Florida; to validate and declare the said district to be legally created; to validate and confirm the issuance of bonds to the amount of forty thousand (\$40,000.00) dollars; to make such bonds a lien prior in dignity to all other liens against the lands, save and except State and county taxes; and validating and confirming all of the acts and proceedings of the said Board of County Commissioners in providing a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and the interest of said bonds.

Beg leave to report that the same has been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 391):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held at Mount Dora, in the County of Lake, and State of Florida, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1921, under ordinance passed by the Town Council on March 19th, 1921, and approved by Mayor of the Town of Mount Dora, Lake County, Florida, on March 21st, 1921, for the purpose of deciding whether or not the Town of Mount Dora shall issue six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) worth of bonds for the purpose of completing payments of the costs of the

erection and completing of the public water system extending main pipe line of the water system, creating a department of bond trustees for the said Town of Mount Dora, and to authorize the said Town of Mount Dora to issue said bonds, irrespective of any irregularity of said election.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 392):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, to appropriate money from any available funds to employ a public health nurse to conduct a public health nursing service to provide the method of payment or compensation, amount of such compensation, and to provide for the expense of such public health service.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 400):

An Act to prohibit the running, driving, chasing, pursuing, taking, catching, hunting or killing of deer in the County of Jefferson, State of Florida, with a dog or dogs, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 455):

An Act authorizing and empowering Bradford County, Florida, (as the same exists after the creation of Union

County), to issue bonds for the purpose of building and hard-surfacing certain roads and grading and improving other roads in the said county; and to provide for a Board of Bond Trustees, and to invest the said trustees with certain powers and duties, and to provide for the use and control of the general road and other funds collected in the said county for road purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 443):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 8221, Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida, being An Act to authorize the trustees of Sub-road District No. 2 of Alachua County, Florida, commonly known as the Newberry Sub-road District, and the trustees of Sub-road District No. 9 of Alachua County, Florida, known as the Trenton Sub-road District, to issue bonds for the purpose of building certain roads within said sub-road districts.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 435):

An Act to legalize and validate all of the proceedings of the Town of Seabreeze, a municipal corporation in Volusia County, Florida, in relation to the grading, curbing, paving, drainage and otherwise improving certain streets in the Town of Seabreeze, and to legalize and validate the assessments against the abutting properties of two-thirds of the costs of such improvements, and to legalize and validate the improvement certificates issued against the abutting properties for said assessments, and declaring said assessments a lien against such properties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 440):

An Act making it unlawful to transfer, appropriate or expend any tax moneys collected for interest, sinking fund and Board of Public Works accounts of the City of Key West, except for the purpose for which any such taxes may have been levied and assessed, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof, and prescribing the duty of the city auditor of said city relative to apportionment of the taxes collected by said city to the respective funds for which the same were levied and collected.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 340):

An Act for the relief of Edgar C. Thompson, State Attorney of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, for loss of compensation during suspension from office.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 292):

An Act for the relief of Gadsden County, in the State of Florida, for money expended by said county from July, 1909, to July, 1915, for jurors in the County Court of Gadsden County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 167):

An Act for the relief of R. B. Carter, former Justice of the Peace, District No. 1, Pinellas County, Florida, for loss of compensation during his suspension from office.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 202):

An Act for the relief of Harry W. Thompson.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 171):

An Act for the relief of John Logan, Sheriff of Polk

County, Florida, for the loss of fees during his suspension from said office.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 194):

An Act for the relief of J. C. Van Pelt.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. E. P. Wilson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 77:

A bill to be entitled An Act to consolidate the auditing and examination of State and county finances; to provide for the auditing and examination under the direction and supervision of the Governor and Comptroller of all accounts, books, records, warrants, papers and transactions of all State officials, and of the officers of the several counties of the State; to provide for reports of the same to be made to the Governor and Comptroller; to confer the necessary powers and authority for carrying out the purposes and provisions of this Act; to make appropriations therefor; to repeal Sections 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203 and 204 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, creating the offices of the State Auditor and Assistant State Auditor, and prescribing their duties and powers; to repeal all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act; and to provide penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and find the same correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

E. P. WILSON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 77, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Mr. Johnson, Chairman on Rules and Procedure, offered the following resolution:

Senate Resolution No. 27:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby authorized to correct any and all errors in the Journal of the past three days, including the Journals of June 2, and June 3, 1921, and that he is hereby directed and authorized to prepare an errata sheet of the entire session's proceedings of this body, to be attached to the final Journal of this body, and that the same shall be recognized as part of the history of the proceedings of this body.

Resolved, further, That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby, authorized to check up and endorse for payment the bills for printing, etc., for the last week of this session, and the Comptroller is hereby instructed to take his endorsement in making payments for same.

Which was read.

Mr. Johnson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Johnson, Chairman of Committee on Rules and Procedure, offer the following resolution:

By the Committee on Rules—

Senate Resolution No. 28:

Resolved by the Senate, That no member of the Senate will be allowed to speak more than five minutes on any one subject or motion without consent of the Senate.

Resolved further, That this rule shall prevail from this time until the close of the present session.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. JOHNSON,
Chairman of Committee.
THEO T. TURNBULL,
B. H. LINDSEY,
JAMES E. CALKINS,
R. H. ROWE,

Committee on Rules and Procedure.

Which was read.

Mr. Johnson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Pending the consideration of Resolution No. 28—

Mr. Johnson moved that the Senate do now go into executive session, and that Mr. Hulley be entitled to the floor immediately afterward.

Which was agreed to.

And the doors of the chamber were closed at 11:21 o'clock.

The doors of the chamber were reopened at 11:35 o'clock.

Mr. Johnson moved to defer the further consideration of Resolution No. 28 and House Bill No. 812 until 10:30 o'clock tomorrow, June 3, at which time Mr. Hulley will have the privilege of the floor.

Which was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Singletary—

Senate Bill No. 550:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to S. G. O'Neal.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 550 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 550 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 550 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 550 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Igou, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Singletary, Stokes, Weaver, Wilson—19.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Johnson, Roland, Turnbull—4.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Singletary moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 550 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By Mr. Igou—
Senate Bill No. 551:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a closed season for deer and wild turkey in that portion of Lake County, Florida, lying north of the township line dividing Townships nineteen (19) and twenty (20) south.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 551 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 551 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 551 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 551 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

A. D. 1916, and all amendments thereto, the same being entitled "An Act to provide that the United States shall

Mr. Igou moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 551 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representative immediately.

By Mr. Igou—
Senate Bill No. 552:

A bill to be entitled An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of An Act of Congress approved July 11, aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes," and providing for the levy of a tax on all taxable property in this State to meet the same.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 552 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Weaver—

Senate Bill No. 553:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of interest-bearing coupon warrants by the Board of Public Instruction of Taylor County, Florida, and validating the same, and authorizing the said Board of Public Instruction to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the erection of school buildings and providing for the payment thereof, and to provide for the validation of outstanding warrants.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Weaver moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 553 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 553 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Weaver moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 553 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 553 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Weaver moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 553 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By Mr. Knabb—

Senate Bill No. 554:

A bill to be entitled An Act to place the name of Hon. T. C. Carroll, of McClenny, Florida, on the pension roll of the State of Florida, and to authorize the payment of a pension to the said T. C. Carroll.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Knabb moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 554 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 554 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Knabb moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 554 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 554 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Igou, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Singletary, Stokes, Wells—15.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Johnson, Turnbull—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Knabb moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 554 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By Mr. Lindsey—

Senate Bill No. 555:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of and to authorize the payment of a pension to Andrew Jackson Leavins.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 555 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 555 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 555 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 555 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Rowe, Turnbull—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 555 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Shelley moved that House Bill No. 994 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 994:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the size mesh to be used in seines of Wakulla County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 994 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 994 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 994 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 994 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Calkins, Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Shelley moved that the passage of House Bill No. 994 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Lowry moved that House Bill No. 382 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 382:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the purpose of authorizing the organization of State banks, and prescribing the regulations governing same; requiring three or more persons or stockholders for the purpose of such incorporation, and prescribing the manner of conducting the business of said bank; defining the duties of the Comptroller in relation thereto; conditions precedent to doing business, interest, capital stock; capital stock may be increased or diminished, subject to the approval of Comptroller. Bank to be under the control of board of directors; removal of officers; penalty for any violations of this Act; liabilities of stockholders; limitations to investments, reserves required; depositories, penalties; savings association. Liability of one person limited; penalty for

making false reports; loans to officers; insolvent; prevented from receiving deposits; penalty. None but banks and trust companies to receive deposits; banks to make reports; dividends to be reported; penalty for failure to make reports. Banks may voluntarily place their affairs in the hands of the Comptroller; banks may voluntarily liquidate. Banks, when deemed insolvent: divisions and surplus funds declared when; losses charged to surplus account; when dividends may be declared; penalty for any bank official to fail to perform duties; rewards may be offered and paid; certified checks may be drawn; how; penalty for embezzlement; penalty to pay overdrafts; banks may borrow money. Impairment of capital stock; national banks may become State banks; banks to keep list of shareholders; Comptroller may revoke charter of any bank for cause; penalty for receiving deposits after charter is revoked; real estate; how conveyed; assets, deemed personal property; bank cannot loan money on its stock; Comptroller to preserve records; penalty for false swearing. State Banking Board; how composed; how appointed; Banking Board selection; executive counsel; guaranty fund payment; assessment for guaranty fund. Guaranty fund warrants; who may invest therein; new banks, how organized; interest charges on deposits; examination of banks; transfer of shares of capital stock; embezzlement of funds; bank officers; fraud. Certified checks; felony unless funds on deposit; false entries in books; penalty. Officers disposition of money of bank, checks, bills of exchange, drafts, crimes relating thereto. Loan of funds; bank officers; surrender of bank; suppression of evidence felony. Banking laws; conviction. Comptroller to close up business of insolvent bank; depositors to be paid in full from guarantee funds; lien on assets. Comptroller to take charge; certificate of guarantee; advertisement; stockholders may repair losses; State depositories. Fees for examination of banks; appointment; Governor's consent; attorney to Banking Board; disposition of assets or liquidating banks; receivers; Attorney General to advise; fee. Violation of banking laws Attorney General to prosecute.

Was taken up.

Mr. Lowry moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 382 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 382 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Lowry moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 382 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 382 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Plympton, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—16.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Rowe—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Lowry moved that the passage of House Bill No. 382 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Campbell moved that House Bill No. 606 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 606:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5832 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to haul seines or drag-nets in certain counties.

Was taken up.

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 606 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 606 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 606 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 606 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Hulley, Knight, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Plympton, Rus-

sell, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Campbell moved that the passage of House Bill No. 606 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representative immediately.

Mr. Knight moved that Senate Bill No. 137 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 137:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the State Board of Penisons to pay Thos. V. Anderson, an aged Confederate soldier, the sum of twenty dollars per month during his natural life out of the pension funds of the State of Florida, and to place him on the pension roll.

Was taken up.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived that the Senate Bill No. 137 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 137 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Hulley, Knight, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Stokes, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Johnson—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Knight moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 137 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representative immediately.

Mr. Butler moved that House Bill No. 95 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 95:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the making of surveys and filing for record of maps and plats in the State of Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 95 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 95 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 95 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 95 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Igou, Knabb, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Roland, Stokes, Weaver—13.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Crosby, Epperson, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, Mapoles, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—15.

So the bill failed to pass.

Mr. Wells moved that House Bill No. 683 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 683:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Sampson Johnson, relating to pension claim, and to provide for the payment thereof.

Was taken up.

Mr. Wells moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 683 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 683 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wells moved that the rules be further waived and

that House Bill No. 683 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 683 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Cooper, Eaton, Hulley, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Overstreet, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—15.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Johnson, Roland, Turnbull—4.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Wells moved that the passage of House Bill No. 683 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Weaver moved that House Bill No. 300 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 300:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for retirement on part pay for State officials or State employees under certain conditions, who have been in the State service continuously for forty years or more.

Was taken up.

Mr. Weaver moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 300 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 300 was read a second time by its title only.

Committee on State Institutions offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 300:

In third line of title, strike out the word "forty" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "thirty."

Mr. Russell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Committee on State Institutions offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 300:

In Section 1, line 6, strike out the word "forty," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "thirty."

Mr. Russell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the consideration of the amendment—

Mr. Johnson moved to lay the bill and the amendments on the table.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill with amendments was laid on the table.

Mr. MacWilliams moved to waive the rules and take up messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following messages from the House of Representatives were read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 541:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants against Special Tax School District Number one of Nassau County, Florida, for the purpose of building, repairing, and equipping school buildings and improving school grounds and of liquidating any legal indebtedness of said district.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 547:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the powers, duties, compensation and authority of Bond Trustees for special road and bridge districts in Levy County, Florida, to provide for the terms of office and election of said

trustees in all road and bridge districts of said county whenever bonds of said districts are authorized by a vote of the freeholders of said districts or have heretofore been authorized.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 549:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Putnam County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the construction and equipment of a county high school building at Palatka for the construction and equipment of a county high school building at Crescent City, and for general county school purposes, and providing for the payment of principal and interest thereof, and providing for an election to determine whether or not such warrants shall be issued.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 533:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the action, and proceedings of every person, officer and of the Board of County Commissioner of Levy County, Florida, in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for Special Road and Bridge District No. 7 of Levy County, State of Florida, as the same has been authorized by the voters of said district.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 519:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to sell or lease their interest in and to petroleum or gas rights on or under lands in Dade County, Florida, now owned by private individuals or corporations.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 541, 547, 549 and 533, contained in the above message were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 534:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of the public roads of Liberty County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 535:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the manner of catching and taking food fish from the fresh water lakes and streams in the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida and from all rivers and streams in the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida or bordering on the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida and providing for a license tax for non-residents of the State of Florida to fish in the same and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 536:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize the election held in the Town of Perry, Florida, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1920, to determine whether or not the bonds provided by ordinance No. 134 of the Ordinance of the Town of Perry, Florida, entitled: "An ordinance for the calling and holding of any election," etc.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 537:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to hunting in the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida, and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 538:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the hard-surfaced roads of Taylor County, to make certain acts in relation thereto a misdemeanor and punishable as such.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 539:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of members of County School Boards and Superintendents of Public Instruction in counties having a population of more than thirty-seven thousand and not more than forty thousand people, according to the State census of 1915.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 540:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Escambia, State of Florida, to expend the proceeds of certain time warrants authorized by Chapter 8042, Special Acts of the Legislature, 1919, which certain time warrants were authorized to be used for the construction of a bridge over Jackson Creek on the County road between West Pensacola and Bayou Grande, amounting to \$3,800.00.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 542:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to meetings of Boards of County Commissioners of new counties and the method of calling and holding such meetings and things that may be done at such meetings and the organizations of such meetings.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 543:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the selection of list of jurors in new counties and the preservation of such list, the placing of jurors names in the jury box and drawing and securing jurors in new counties.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 542 and 543, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 276:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to W. D. Frazier.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 276, contained in the above message was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has receded from its amendment to—

Senate Bill No. 77:

A bill to be entitled An Act to consolidate the auditing and examination of State and County finances; to provide for the auditing and examination under the direction and supervision of the Governor and Comptroller of all accounts, books, records, warrants, papers and transaction of all State officials and of the officers of the several counties of the State; to provide for reports of the same to be made to the Governor and Comptroller;

to confer the necessary powers and authority for carrying out the purposes and provisions of this Act; to make appropriations therefor; to repeal Sections 188, 189, 190, 191, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202 and 204 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, creating the offices of State Auditor and Assistant State Auditor, and prescribing their duties and powers; to repeal all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act, and to provide penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act.

Which amendment so receded from is as follows:

In Section 15, line 3, strike out the words "six times each year" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Once each year and at such other times as the Governor may see fit and desire."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 77, with the amendment thereto, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21:

Authorizing the Governor and Attorney General of the State of Florida to accept such grant of property as may be made or authorized by the Congress of the United States for military purposes.

Also—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20:

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States, asking that it grant to the State of Florida the land and buildings known as St. Francis Barracks in the City of St. Augustine, in this State.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 21 and 20, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the Senate amendment to Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 517:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the support and maintenance of the State Institutions for Higher Education, created and required to be maintained by Chapter 5384 of the Laws of Florida, approved June 5th, 1905, now known as the University of Florida, Florida State College for Women, Florida School for Deaf and Blind, and the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes; and for the support and maintenance of Summer Schools created by Chapter 6498, Laws of Florida, approved June 5th, 1913.

Which amendment is as follows:

Mr. Johnson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 517:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That the sum of one million three hundred and eighty three thousand (\$1,383,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the support, maintenance and improvement of the University of Florida, Florida Agricultural Experiment Station, Florida State College for Women, the Florida School for the Deaf and Blind, and the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes, required to be supported and maintained by Chapter 5384 of the Laws of Florida, approved June 5th, 1905, which sum shall be expended as follows:

University of Florida.

Current expenses, salaries, repairs, upkeep and equipment	\$340,000.00
First unit of Administration Building, assembly room, library and State museum.....	100,000.00
General extension work as approved by Chapter 7915, Laws of Florida, approved May 30, 1919	60,000.00

Agricultural Experiment Station.

For current expenses and for conducting experiments in animal industry, field crops, sugar cane, soils and fertilizers, pecan investigations, plant pathology work and experiments in entomology and test grounds, and for branch experiment station at Lake Alfred, established by Act of the Legislature in 1917	60,000.00
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Florida State College for Women.

Current expenses, salaries, repairs, upkeep and equipment	\$292,000.00
For domestic science and chemistry building, dormitory and addition to dining room and equipment for said buildings and for walks and improvement of campus	207,500.00
For carrying on home demonstration work among women and girls not attending college, and for printing bulletins	30,000.00

Florida School for the Deaf and Blind.

Current expenses, salaries, repairs, upkeep and equipment\$160,000.00
 For completing present primary building and erection of additional building, and for equipment of said buildings and other permanent improvements 65,000.00

Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes.

Current expenses, salaries, repairs, upkeep and equipment\$ 40,000.00
 For buildings and equipment 20,000.00

Board of Control.

Operating expenses for two years 8,000.00

Section 2. The sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars for the year 1921, and the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars for the year 1922, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated for the maintenance of the summer schools created by Chapter 6498, Laws of Florida, approved June 5th, 1913.

Section 3. The Comptroller is hereby directed to draw warrants upon the requisition of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the legitimate cost of said summer schools, the amount not to exceed the appropriation made in Section two (2) of this Act.

Section 4. This Act shall become a law upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its becoming a law without such approval.

And respectfully request the appointment of a Conference Committee of three members each from the Senate and the House of Representatives, to be appointed at once, for an immediate conference on the differences between the two Houses.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

On motion the request was granted.

The President appointed as such committee Messrs. Johnson, Singletary, and Lindsey.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
 Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
 President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the minority report of the Conference Committee on Substitute for—

Senate Bill No. 246:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State School Book Commission; to procure a uniform series of text-books for the use of the elementary and high schools of the State of Florida; to define the duties and powers of said commission; to make appropriations for carrying this Act into effect; providing penalties for violation of the same; and to repeal Section 668 to 686, both inclusive, of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to a uniform system of text-books.

Which minority report is as follows:

(1) I recommend that the ten-year life of contracts for school books be cut to eight years* (compromise).

(2) I recommend that the Futch amendment as to price of books sold in other States, being our contract price, be retained.

(3) I recommend that the House do recede from its amendment referring to exchange of old books in part payment for new (compromise).

L. C. CROFTON.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Mr. Hulley moved that the Senate do reconsider the

vote by which it passed the majority report on House amendments to Senate Bill No. 246.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The question was put upon the motion to reconsider its action.

The Senate reconsidered its action thereon, and Senate Bill No. 246, as amended by the House of Representatives, was again placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hulley moved that the Senate do concur in the minority report as contained in the above message.

Which was agreed.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in the Senate Amendment No. 13 to—

House Bill No. 661:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said City of West Palm Beach and official acts thereunder and to adopt the same as the ordinances of said City of West Palm Beach; to prescribe the time within which suits shall be brought against said city and for notice thereof; and to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers; and allowing the voters thereof to amend this Act by changing the name of the municipality hereby created to Palm Beach City.

Which said amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 13. Add at the end of Section 105 the words: "No real estate within the city shall be taxed for lights, water, sewerage, paving or any other public utility or improvement unless directly benefited thereby."

And I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House has refused to concur in said amendment and respectfully requests the Senate to recede from its said thirteenth amendemnt to House Bill No. 661.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Mr. Campbell moved that the Senate recede from the said Senate amendments contained in the foregoing message.

The question was put and the Senate receded from its action on the amendments.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 1021:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate the sale of certain bonds of Special Tax District No. 1 of Hernando County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1022:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and direct the

State Board of Pensions to place the name of A. N. Chelf on the pension roll of this State.

Also—

House Bill No. 1023:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 70 of Chapter 8298 of the Laws of Florida, and prescribing the qualification of election of the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1024:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, to levy an additional tax of not more than one-half mill for the encouragement and protection of agriculture and live stock.

Also—

House Bill No. 1025:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Gadsden, State of Florida, on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1918, to determine whether or not compulsory systematic tick eradication work and the compulsory dipping of cattle should be conducted in said county.

Also—

House Bill No. 1027:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to butchering or slaughtering within a certain prescribed distance of any public road or highway in Leon County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1032:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the birds and wild life of the County of Orange and State of Florida, and to prevent the hunting of same during the closed season.

Also—

House Bill No. 1034:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Walton County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of DeFuniak Springs, Walton County, Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and to confer certain powers upon said municipality and upon the officers thereof; and to prescribe for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1021, 1022, 1025, 1024, 1025, 1027, 1032 and 1034 were read the first time by their titles.

Mr. Wilson moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 1021, as contained in the above message, be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1021:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate the sale of certain bonds of Special Tax District No. 1 of Hernando County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1021 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1021 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1021 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1021 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Calkins, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Wilson moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1021 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

And House Bill No. 1022, contained in the foregoing

message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Eaton moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 1023 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1023, as contained in the above message, was taken up.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1023 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1023 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1023 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1023 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Bradshaw, Eaton, Epperson, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Eaton moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1023 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Wilson moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 1024 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1024, as contained in the above message, was taken up.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1024 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1024 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1024 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1024 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Campbell, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Mapoles, Overstreet, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Wilson moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1024 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

And House Bills Nos. 1025, 1027 and 1032, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their title and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Lindsey moved that House Bill No. 1034 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1034, as contained in the above message, was taken up.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1034 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1034 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1034 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1034 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Campbell, Eaton, Epperson, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1034 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 504:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriation for salaries and expenses of the State Government for the years from the 30th day of June, 1921.

In Section 1, page 9 of the printed bill, after line 149 add the following: "Salaries for two rural school inspectors \$1,000.00 each; traveling expenses two rural school inspectors, \$1,250.00 each."

Strike out all appropriations under heading "State Auditor."

In Section 1, page 14, after line 247 of the printed bill insert the following: "salary of court reporters each \$600.00."

In Section 2, page 24 of the printed bill, after line 150, add the following: "Salaries of two rural school inspectors \$2,000.00 each; traveling expenses of two rural school inspectors, \$1,500.00 each."

Mr. Futch offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 504:

In Section 2, page 29, after line 248 of the printed bill, insert the following: "salary of court reporters each \$1,200.00."

In Section 3, page 39 of the printed bill, after line 149, add the following: "Salaries of two rural school inspectors, \$1,000.00 each, traveling expenses of two rural school inspectors, \$625.00 each."

In Section 3, page 44, after line 243, insert the following: "salary of court reporters each, \$600.00."

Add as Section 3-A the following: "Kissimmee River Cattle Company Claim Committee under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18, expense of investigation \$500.00. And all in excess of \$500.00 spent for this purpose shall be paid by the Kissimmee River Cattle Company."

Printed bill, page 8, between lines 136 and 137, insert the following, line 136½: "rebinding and purchasing, maps, plats and field notes of the Spanish Grant known as the 'Forbes Purchase,' \$1,200.00."

Add at the end of Section 3 the following: "\$80,000.00 is hereby appropriated for two years for the State Live Stock Sanitary Board."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 504, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 4 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 5 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 6 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 7 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 8 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate refused to concur in House Amendment No. 8.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 9 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 10 contained in the above message.

Pending the consideration of House Amendment No. 10—

Mr. Singletary moved to defer action on the bill and amendments.

Mr. Weaver moved to take up and consider the vote by which House Bill No. 412 was laid on the table.

Mr. Weaver moved that the rules be waived and that the said motion to reconsider be now considered by the Senate.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The question was put upon the consideration of the vote by which the Senate laid the said bill on the table.

The Senate reconsidered the motion to lay the bill on the table.

Mr. Singletary moved to take up House Bill No. 412.

Which was agreed to.

And—

House Bill No. 412:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118 and 2119 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the State Live Stock Sainitary Board.

Was taken up.

Pending the further consideration of the bill—

Mr. Shelley moved to extend the time for adjournment forty minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Pending the further consideration of the bill—

Mr. Shelley moved to extend the time for adjournment 40 minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Weaver offered the following substitute to the amendment to House Bill No. 412:

"Strike out everything after the enacting clause, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. That Section 2101 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2101. Board Created; Appropriation. There is hereby created and established a board to be known and designated as the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, consisting, ex-officio, of the Governor and the administrative officers of the Executive Department, of which the Governor shall be president. The sum of ninety thousand (\$90,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated for carrying out the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 2. That Section 2102 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2102. Headquarters of Board; Meetings. The official headquarters of the board shall be at the seat of government, but it may hold its meeting and establish branch office in such other places in the State of Florida as the board may determine by resolution. Annual meeting of said board shall be held on the first Monday in March of each year. Special meetings may be called at any time by the president, or at the written request of a majority of the board.

Sec. 3. That Section 2106 of the Revised General Stat-

utes of Florida be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2106. State Veterinarian; Compensation; Bond.—The Governor of the State of Florida shall appoint for a term of four years at a salary of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) a year a person who shall be an experienced expert in infectious, contagious, communicable and other diseases of cattle, hogs and other domestic animals, who shall be a person of recognized ability and skilled on all diseases of such animals, and who shall be a graduate veterinarian of a recognized and reputable school of veterinary medicine, who shall be known and designated as State Veterinarian. Said Veterinarian shall be chief executive officer and secretary of said board. Said board shall prescribe his duties and powers. He shall give bond in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

Sec. 4. That Section 5552 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5552. Interference with State Veterinarian or State Live Stock Sanitary Board.—Any person or persons who forcibly assaults, resist, opposes, prevents, impedes or interferes with the State Veterinarian, or any member of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, a State Live Stock Inspector, or other duly authorized representative of said Board, in the execution of his duties, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or by imprisonment of not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. That Section 5553 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5553. Violation of Quarantine Regulations.—Whenever the State Live Stock Sanitary Board places any locality in quarantine, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, while such quarantine exists, to take, drive, or transport any cattle, hogs or other domestic animals, either out of or into such quarantined locality without permission of the State Veterinarian; any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall

be punished by a fine of not exceeding five hundred (\$500.00) dollars or by imprisonment of not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 6. That Section 5554 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5554. Violation of Rules Made by the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.—Any person, firm or corporation who or that shall knowingly and wilfully violate or fail to keep and perform any rule or regulation of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or by imprisonment of not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 7. That whenever an election has been called and held in any county pursuant to law to determine whether the compulsory eradication of ticks and compulsory dipping of cattle shall be carried on in such county, and when a majority of the voters voting at such election have voted in favor of such compulsory eradication of ticks and compulsory dipping of cattle in such county, whether such election has been heretofore held or shall hereafter be held, after the elapse of one year from the holding of such an election, another election may be called and held in such county to determine whether the compulsory eradication of ticks and compulsory dipping in such county shall be continued, and such an election shall be called and held by the Board of County Commissioners whenever a petition in writing signed by at least 25 per cent. of the qualified electors of such county, asking that such election be called, shall be presented and filed with such Board of County Commissioners; such board shall give public notice of such election when called by publishing notice of same in a newspaper published in such county for at least once a week for four weeks before the day of such election; all persons qualified to vote at any general election in such county shall be qualified to vote at such election; and if a majority of the voters voting at such election shall vote against the continuance of compulsory eradication of ticks and compulsory dipping of cattle in such county, the same shall cease in such county; said election shall otherwise be called, held, returns made and result

declared, and expense thereof paid, in the same manner as general elections in such counties are now called, held, paid, etc.

Sec. 8. That Section 5556 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, providing penalties, when not otherwise provided, for violation of any provision of Chapter 11, Title 11, First Division, the Revised General Statutes of Florida, be and is hereby repealed.

Sec. 9. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Act.

Sec. 10. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 11. This Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming a law.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to the amendment to House Bill No. 412:

In Section 2, strike out the words "four years for State Veterinarian appointment" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two years."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Igou offered the following amendment to the amendment to House Bill No. 412:

In Section 1, strike out the words and figures "ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00)."

Mr. Igou moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Lowry, Malone, Roland, Shelley, Taylor, Weaver, Wells—16.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Epperson, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—16.

So the amendment of Mr. Igou to the amendment failed to pass.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendment to the amendment to House Bill No. 412:

After Section 6 add the following:

Section 6½. Nothing, however, in this bill shall pre-

vent persons of two years experience, or more, in the use of vaccine or serum from administering the same, or prevent stock owners from the use of same on their own stock.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells offered the following amendment to the amendment to House Bill No. 412:

In Section 7, line 5, strike out the word "any" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the last."

Mr. Wells moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the amendment as amended.

The amendment as amended was agreed to.

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 412:

Mr. Weaver offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 412:

Strike out the title of said bill and in lieu thereof insert the following title, namely:

"A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2101, 2102, 2106, 5552, 5553, 5554 and to repeal 5556 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the creation of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, the headquarters and meetings of said Board, the appointment of a State Veterinarian, his compensation and bond, prescribing a penalty for interfering with the State Veterinarian, or the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, or any member or inspector thereof, and for violating the regulations of said Board, and to provide for an election under certain conditions in certain counties whereby the compulsory eradication of ticks and compulsory dipping of cattle may be discontinued in same."

Mr. Weaver moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Weaver moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 412 as amended be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 412 as amended was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw,

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Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Ep-
person, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey,
Lowry, Malone Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Ro-
land, Russell, Shelley Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turn-
bull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And House Bill No. 412, as amended on the third read-
ing, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills for
the engrossing of the Senate amendments to the bill.

Mr. Weaver moved that the House amendments to Sen-
ate Bill No. 504 be temporarily passed over.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on En-
rolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the fol-
lowing report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was
referred—

(Senate Bill No. 421):

An Act to require the Board of Trustees of all special
road and bridge districts, and the trustees of all sub-road
districts in Alachua County, Florida, to submit an esti-
mate of the amount needed for roads and bridges in said
districts, and to provide for same, and to repeal Sec-
tion 2 of Chapter 8229, Laws of Florida, A. D. 1919.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 341):

An Act to provide for the creation of a municipal corpo-
ration to be known as the Town of Lantana in Palm Beach
County, Florida; to fix and determine the territorial
limits, jurisdiction and powers of said town and the ju-
risdiction and powers of its officers; and to provide a
referendum on the question of incorporating said town.

Have carefully examined the same and find them cor-
rectly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith
present the same for the signatures of the President and
Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee
on the part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed
by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open
session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint
Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to
the Governor for his approval.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following communication from the Governor was
read:

State of Florida,
Executive Department,
Tallahassee, June 1, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate,
Capitol.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved
the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable
Body, and have caused the same to be filed in the office
of Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 202):

An Act for the relief of Harry W. Thompson.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 193):

An Act granting and confirming riparian rights and
submerged and filled-in lands.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 379):

An Act to establish the municipality of River Junction,

Florida; to authorize and provide for its territorial limits, its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities.

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,
Governor.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate took a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

CONFIRMATIONS.

The Senate in executive session today confirmed the following appointments.

Judge Fifteenth Judicial Circuit—C. E. Davis, West Palm Beach.

State Board of Health—Calvin T. Young, Charles H. Mann, J. E. Graves.

Commissioners for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation in the United States—C. J. Morrow, W. A. Blount, J. M. Carson.

State Road Department—H. B. Philips, I. E. Schilling, W. W. Clark, W. J. Hillman, J. D. Smith.

Adjutant General (Rank of Brigadier)—Charles P. Lovell.

Miami Pilot Commissioners—John Sewell, J. I. Wilson, Dr. W. C. Maynard, C. D. Leffler, J. L. Lummus.

Miami Harbormaster—George E. Manson.

Pensacola Pilot Commissioners—D. Levy, T. T. Todd, W. E. Brown, Frank E. Welles, Adrian E. Langford.

Pensacola Harbormaster—Ed Abercrombie.

Tampa Pilot Commissioners—William Fielder, L. E. Knight, J. C. McKay, J. D. Morris, Sr., J. G. Yeats.

Tampa Harbormaster—J. A. Lovelace.

Boca Grande Harbormaster—P. P. Spear.

Key West Pilot Commissioners—George A. T. Roberts, Joseph Y. Porter, Jr., Shirley C. Bott, George W. Reynolds, Charles L. Rice.

Key West Harbormaster—J. A. Weatherford.

St. Andrews Bay Pilot Commissioners—M. A. Coleman, F. Bullock, A. D. Wells, Tom Gehoe, W. I. Singletary.

St. Andrews Bay Harbormaster—H. W. Johnson.

Fernandina Harbormaster—John Hardee.

Jacksonville Pilot Commissioner—W. A. Bours.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 O'CLOCK P. M.

The Senate met pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Huley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—32.

A quorum present.

Mr. Mapoles moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 458 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was not agreed to.

The calls of bills of Districts 20 and 21 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Mr. Turnbull moved that Senate Bill No. 493 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 493:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act amending Section 3003 and Section 3004 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, fixing the compensation of the Circuit Judges, and providing for payment of their traveling expenses, passed by the Legislature of 1921 and approved May 24, 1921.

Was taken up.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 493 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 493 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 493 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 493 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Campbell, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Turnbull, Wells—18.

Nays—Messrs. Calkins, Eaton, Igou, Overstreet, Taylor, Weaver—6.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 493 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Igou moved that Senate Bill No. 156 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 156:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it the duty of the several Boards of County Commissioners of the State of Florida, the several County Boards of Public Instruction of the State of Florida, all Trustees of County Bond issues, all Trustees of Special District Bond issues, all Councils of Municipal Corporations, all Commissioners of Municipal Corporations, all Trustees of Municipal Bond issues, and all Trustees of Sub-Drainage Districts upon whom devolves the duty to expend public money to keep correct, etc.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 156 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 156 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Turnbull, Weaver—18.

Nays—Messrs. Cooper, Overstreet, Taylor—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Igou moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 156 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Malone moved that House Bill No. 956 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 956:

A bill to be entitled An Act to return to Monroe County, Florida, the State two-mill tax and the automobile tax after cost of collecting same has been deducted.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 956 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 956 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 956:

In Section 1, line 1, insert the word "hereafter" before the word "raised."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Malone offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 956:

In Section 2, line 1, insert the word "hereafter" before the word "received."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Malone offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 956:

In Section 1, line 2, strike out the words "two mill."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 956 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 956 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Roland, Stokes, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Bradshaw, Butler, Crosby, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Weaver—15.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Malone moved that the passage of House Bill No. 956 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Crosby moved that House Bill No. 644 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 644:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the procuring of search and seizure warrants and to authorize sheriffs and other police officers to make search and seizure.

Was taken up.

Mr. Crosby moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 644 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 644 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 644:

In Section 1, line 1, strike out the words "from and after the passage of this Act."

Mr. Taylor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Taylor offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 644:

In Section 3, line 5, after the word "be" insert the following: "such said warrants may be extended by the proper officer at any time."

Mr. Taylor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Crosby moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 644 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 644 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Epperson, Knabb, Knight, Rowe, Roland, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells—19.

Nays—Messrs. Eaton, Johnson, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Russell, Turnbull—12.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Crosby moved that the passage of House Bill No. 644 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Butler moved that when the Senate adjourns it shall adjourn to meet again at 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved that House Bill No. 341 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 341:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing any department of the State and any county and any special road

and bridge district and any municipal corporation in this State to aid in the construction or maintenance of any State or State Aid Road by contributions to the State Road Department of cash, bonds, time warrants, or other things of value in the construction or maintenance of roads, and authorizing the State Road Department to accept and receive such aid or any such contributions, and use the same in the construction or maintenance of State or State Aid Roads.

Was taken up.

Mr. Wells moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 341 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 341 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wells offered the following amendment to House Bill Number 341:

In Section 1, insert at the end thereof the following:

And the State Road Department be, and is hereby, granted authority to enter into agreements with the County Commissioners of the several counties of the State of Florida, in which county road bonds have been, or which shall hereafter be voted by the people of said county, and in which one or more roads of said county has or have been or shall hereafter be designated as a part of the system of state highways or as a state aid road, whereby the State Road Department shall construct the roads and the bridges incident thereto, which shall be, or shall have been so voted to be constructed by the people, and in accordance with specifications which shall be agreed upon between the said State Road Department and the County Commissioners of said county, and to receive from the said counties in consideration thereof, the proceeds of the sale of the said county bonds so voted, the net amount after deducting expenses and commission on the sale and administration of said bonds. The State Road Department in no instance to receive from said counties an amount in excess of the actual cost of the construction of said roads.

Mr. Wells moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 341:

In Section 6 strike out the Section and add the following:

"Section 6. The State Road Department is hereby authorized to propose and obtain the designation of any of the said roads and bridges so to be constructed, as Federal aid projects, and to obtain from the United States payment on account of said construction in accordance with existing regulations.

"Section 7. The Federal aid money so obtained shall first be applied to the completion of the said roads for which said bonds have or shall be voted, if the money from the bonds that shall be sold is not sufficient therefor, and any residue shall be expended in the construction of any portion of the State Highway system or any State Aid road as the State Road Department and the County Commissioners of the said counties may agree upon.

"Section 8. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

"Section 9. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its becoming a law."

Mr. Wells moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 341:

In the title add thereto the following:

"to construct roads and bridges in said counties as a part of the State Highway system with the proceeds of the several county road bonds issued, and to obtain Federal Aid in connection therewith."

Mr. Wells moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 341 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 341 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Calkins, Cooper, Crosby, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe,

Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Wells moved that the passage of House Bill No. 341 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By consent of Mr. Russell—

Mr. Wilson called up House Bill No. 423 out of its order and moved that it now be considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 423:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Sections 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 5534 and 5535 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida; to establish a composite Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Florida; to define its duties and powers; to regulate the issuing and recording of licenses; to define what is the practice of medicine; to fix fee for license; to provide for revocation of license and cancellation of recordation, and to prescribe penalties for a violation of this Act, and repealing.

Was taken up.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 423 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 423 was read a second time by its title only.

The following committee amendment was read:

Amendment No. 1.—In Section 2, line 4, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eight."

Mr. Wells moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The following committee amendment was read:

Amendment No. 2.—In Section 3, line 3, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eight."

Which was withdrawn by consent.

The following committee amendment was read:

Amendment No. 3.—In Section 3, line 5, strike out the

word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four."

Which was withdrawn by consent.

The following committee amendment was read:

Amendment No. 4.—In Section 3, line 5, strike out the word "regular" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "allopath."

Mr. Wells moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The following committee amendment was read:

Amendment No. 5.—In Section 3, line 6, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two."

Which was withdrawn.

The following committee report was read:

Amendment No. 6.—In Section 3, line 11, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two."

Which was withdrawn.

The following committee report was read:

Amendment No. 7.—In Section 3, line 12, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two."

Which was withdrawn.

The following committee report was read:

Amendment No. 8.—In Section 13 strike out paragraph "H."

Mr. Wells offered the following amendment as committee substitute amendment to House Bill No. 423:

In Section 3, line 18 (h), strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "a fraudulent."

Mr. Wells moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 423, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 423, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley,

Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—31.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Wilson moved that the passage of House Bill No. 423 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Cooper moved that House Bill No. 468 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 468:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a method for securing constructive service in ejectment suits upon non-resident defendants.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 468 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 468 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 468 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 468 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Lindsey, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Roland, Singletary, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells—21.

Nays—Messrs. Calkins, Epperson, Knight, Mapoles, Rowe, Stokes, Wilson—7.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Cooper moved that the passage of House Bill No. 468 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Hulley called up House Bill No. 50.

And—

House Bill No. 50:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2696 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to charges to juries and direction of verdicts by the Court.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hulley moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 50 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 50 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Malone, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—23.

Nays—Mr. Igou—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Hulley moved that the passage of House Bill No. 50 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

And the same was ordered to be certified to House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Wells moved to waive the rules and take up House messages.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Knabb moved that House Bill No. 301 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 301:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the proceedings of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, in issuing eighty thousand (\$80,000.00) dollars of bonds for the purpose of constructing electric light

works and water works, and legalizing, ratifying, validating and confirming said bonds.

Was taken up.

Mr. Knabb moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 301 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 301 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Knabb moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 301 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 301 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Wilson—26.

Nays—Mr. Crosby—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Knabb moved that the passage of House Bill No. 301 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By consent—

Mr. Bradshaw introduced—

Senate Bill No. 556:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to John E. Scaff, and providing for the payment of said pension.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 556 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 556 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that the rules be further waived

and that Senate Bill No. 556 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 556 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Knabb, Knight, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wilson—25.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Johnson, Rowe, Roland—4.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 556 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By consent—

Mr. Butler moved that House Bill No. 702 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 702:

A bill to be entitled An Act imposing license taxes upon dealers in gasoline or other like products of petroleum, and lubricating oils; providing for reports of the sales of such commodities to the Comptroller; providing for the disposition of the moneys derived from such tax and fixing a penalty for the violations hereof.

Was taken up.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 702 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 702 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 702:

Strike out the figures "\$25" when the same appears in the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$5.00."

Mr. Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Butler offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 702:

In Section 9, at end of section, add "kerosene oil."

Mr. Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Malone offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 702:

Strike out the words in the bill "lubricating oil 1 cent per quart."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Butler offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 702:

In title strike out the words "lubricating oil."

Mr. Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 702, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 702, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Crosby, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Knabb, Knight, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—24.

Nays—Messrs. Calkins, Cooper, Epperson, Shelley, Turnbull—5.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Butler moved that the passage of House Bill No. 702 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By permission—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 21):

Whereas, the citizens of Pensacola have voted four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00) of municipal bonds to be expended in building docks and a belt line railway, both of which improvements are necessary and required to provide facilities, and make useful the City's Superior Harbor for its increasing volume of commerce; etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 916):

An Act to validate, ratify and confirm the creation and

Also—

(House Bill No. 815):

An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the hunting of squirrels in Columbia County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 836):

An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the hunting of squirrels in Wakulla County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 883):

An Act authorizing, empowering and permitting the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Manatee and State of Florida, to re-number the Special Tax School Districts in Manatee County, and to alter the boundaries of said districts.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith

present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. O. M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 516):

An Act creating a Board of Charities for each county having a population of over 100,000, and prescribing its powers and duties, providing for its financial support, and providing for the qualification of its members, and repealing all laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 975):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Suwannee County, Florida, to appropriate and expend annually from the general revenue fund of said county the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) to advertise and give publicity to the natural and other advantages of said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 709):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the proceedings of the County Board of Public Instruction of St. Lucie County, Florida, in issuing bonds for the purpose of

enlarging the present public high school building at Vero, St. Lucie County, Florida, in Special Tax School District Number Eleven (11):

Also—

(House Bill No. 760):

An Act to amend Section 1537 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the sale of county bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 938):

An Act to prohibit hogs from running at large in a certain part of Osceola County, and providing for impounding and a penalty for the violation thereof.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 599):

An Act amending Sections 7, 23, 34, 35, 41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 54, 55, 56, 60 and 61, of Chapter 5811, Laws of Florida

(Acts of 1907), same being the Charter Act of the City of Jasper, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 905):

An Act to create and incorporate the Stuart Road and Bridge District in Palm Beach County, Florida; to prescribe the boundaries of said district; to provide for the administration of said district; to authorize and direct the County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to build and maintain roads and bridges in said district; to authorize and direct said commissioners to issue and sell bonds on behalf of said district and to levy taxes for the payment of said bonds and for the maintenance of roads and bridges of said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 334):

An Act to aid Anna Dummett Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, Incorporated, of St. Augustine, Florida; in the completion of payment for the Loring Memorial, erected in St. Augustine, Florida, in honor of General William Wing Loring, distinguished son of Florida; and for the curbing, railing and concrete work around the said Loring Memorial for its proper protection; to make an appropriation therefor, and to provide for the payment of such appropriation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 907):

An Act authorizing the Mayor of Jacksonville to appoint special policemen.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

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Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 821):

An Act to protect the fish in the rivers, creeks, canals and inside waters of Broward County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 876):

An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for hunting of squirrels in Okaloosa County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violations of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 723):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Dade County, Florida, to sell the court house and jail and block 115-A of Miami, Florida, according to a plat recorded in plat book B at page 41 of the public Records of Dade County, Florida, on which site the court house and jail are erected, and to acquire other property in the City of Miami, Florida, for court house and jail purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 917):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Lucie County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of constructing an addition to the court house of St. Lucie County, Florida, and furnishing equipment therefor, and providing for a vote by the electors of said county on the question of issuing said time warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 886):

An Act regulating the open season for the hunting of

wild deer and wild turkey in the County of Lee in the State of Florida, and to authorize the County Commissioners of Lee County to appropriate funds for the enforcement of this Act.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee
on the part of the Senate.

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Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 874):

An Act to authorize and empower the Town Council of the Town of Brooksville to cause to be drawn and issued the said town interest-bearing time warrants in a total amount not exceeding six thousand dollars, with interest not exceeding six per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually, and providing in what amounts said warrants shall be drawn and when they shall become due and payable; to levy a tax on all the taxable property within the territorial limits of said town, not to exceed three

mills on the dollar in excess of the millage now authorized by law to be levied by said town, for the purpose of retiring the aforesaid warrants with their interest; and providing for an election to be held in said town, at which election only such persons shall participate therein as are duly qualified to vote in bond elections held in and by said town.

Also—

(House Bill No. 899):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to borrow money in amounts not to exceed the aggregate of \$25,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and repairing public roads and bridges in said county, to issue interest-bearing time warrants therefor; and to authorize a tax levy for the payment of the same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 761):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners in any county in the State where bonds have heretofore been voted for the construction of hard-surfaced roads, to change the date of maturity of installments of said bonds.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 945):

An Act to amend Section 3, of Chapter 5497, Laws of the State of Florida, entitled: "An Act extending and enlarging the territorial limits and powers of the City of Gainesville, a municipal corporation organized and existing in Alachua County, Florida, and providing for the exercise of those powers."

Also—

(House Bill No. 814):

An Act to empower, authorize and direct the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County (as it exists after the creation of Union County) to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying Union County for its share of the property of the old County of Bradford.

Also—

(House Bill No. 615):

An Act authorizing the City of Jacksonville to furnish electricity to municipalities and other users thereof in Duval County, and granting said city the right to construct and maintain electric lines along highways for said purpose.

Also—

(House Bill No. 900):

An Act to ratify, confirm validate and legalize \$350,000 of bonds by and on behalf of Special Tax School District No. 4, in Hillsborough County, Florida, voted and provided for at an election held in said district on April 11th, A. D. 1921, and more particularly described in the resolution of the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Hillsborough, Florida, adopted by said board at its meeting held on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1921, and recorded in the minutes of said meeting; and all proceedings for the issuance and sale of said bonds, and providing that said bonds, upon the issuance, sale and de-

livery thereof, shall constitute valid and binding obligations according to the tenor effect thereof said district.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 22):

Whereas, The army appropriation bill passed by the House of Representatives of the National Congress provides for the sale of ten thousand motor trucks and two thousand automobiles, which if adopted by the Senate, will prevent further distribution to the State to aid in road construction.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 12):

Whereas, a period of fifty-six (56) years have passed since "the War between the States," and we have since fought "Shoulder to Shoulder, the Spanish American War" to free the people of Cuba, and "the World War" for the preservation of civilization and Christianity and we are now "Brothers of a Common Country" and the most powerful and enlightened nation in the history of the world, and stand for justice and right. And we know as the world does that speaking a different language than does the French, imposed upon France after a most bloody war, some fifty (50) years ago, after France had conquered and humiliated Germany several times in the previous one hundred (100) years, a war indemnity of one billion dollars, and France possessed about twice the population and resources as did the States composing "The Confederate States of America" in the Civil War, etc.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills and resolutions contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 885):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants not to exceed the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars for and on behalf and as the liability of Special Road and Bridge District Number two (2) of Lee County, Florida, to use the proceeds thereof for the purpose of further improving and hard-surfacing the roads in Special Road and Bridge District Number two (2) of Lee County, Florida; and to provide for the levy and collection of a special tax against the taxable property in said special road and bridge district for the purpose of paying the interest on such time warrants and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity, and for the purpose of road and bridge construction in case such time warrants are not sold.

Also—

(House Bill No. 939):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, pave and maintain a public road or highway within said Osceola County known as the Shingle Creek-Lake Wilson Road, and providing the rate of interest which said warrants shall bear, how and where payable and the period for which said warrants shall run, and providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 816):

An Act requiring firms or corporations running or operating log, timber or turpentine cart, or carts, wagon or wagons, traction engine, motor truck, tractors or trailers on or over any public roads in the Counties of Santa Rosa and Washington, and persons hauling heavy loads of any kind on or over such roads, to keep that portion of the road used by them in repair; providing a penalty for failure to do so; providing for civil action to recover damages, including attorney's fees, by the County Commissioners in a civil action, and providing for the issuing of temporary and permanent injunction and other orders by the Circuit Court to prevent damage to public roads.

Also—

(House Bill No. 918):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, bearing interest at six per cent. per annum, and payable twenty years after date for the purpose of constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in said county, and to provide for the payment of the same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 887):

An Act to protect the public roads of Manatee County, and to make certain acts in relation thereto a misdemeanor and punishable as such.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

Chairman of the Joint Committee
on the part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 929):

An Act to protect the fish in the rivers, canals and inside waters of Flagler County, Florida.

Also—

(House Memorial No. 8):

Memorializing the Florida Representatives in Congress to use every effort to secure the early passage of a bill known as the Soliders and Sailors Adjusted Compensation Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 906):

An Act to repeal Chapter 8150 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, being An Act entitled: "An Act to extend and enlarge the territorial limits of Special Road and Bridge District Number Four (4) of Palm Beach County, Florida, by adding additional territory to said district; to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to build certain hard-surfaced highways and bridges within said district and for and on behalf of said district; to require said Board of County Commissioners to call an election of the qualified voters of said district to vote upon the question of issuing bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing said highways and bridges; to authorize said Board of County Commissioners to issue and dispose of said bonds if such election shall be carried in the affirmative; and to authorize said Board of County Commissioners to levy taxes for the payment of the principal and interest to accrue on said bonds."

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills and memorial contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 910):

An Act relating to the South Lake Worth Inlet District and amending Chapter 7080 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, approved June 5, 1915, being An Act entitled: "An Act to create and incorporate a special taxing district in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as Townships forty-four (44) south, Range forty-three (43) east, and all the Townships forty-four (44) and forty-five (45) south, Range forty-two (42) east, and to prescribe the boundaries of said district, and to provide for the government and administration of the same, and to prescribe and define the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof, and to authorize said board to construct an inlet in said district to connect the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean and all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith, and to empower said board to levy and provide for the collection of taxes upon all the taxable property in said district for said purposes and other purposes authorized by this Act, and to authorize said board to borrow money and to issue and sell bonds and procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and generally to create and provide the powers of such district for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said district connecting the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean."

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bill contained in the above report was duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 843):

An Act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the action of the City Council of the City of Leesburg, Florida, in accepting and selling certain accommodation notes signed by certain citizens of said city for the purpose of financing the electric light, water and ice plants belonging to said city.

Also—

(House Bill No. 418):

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the County School Boards in counties having a population between fifty thousand and one hundred and fifty thousand persons according to the last Federal census.

Also—

(House Bill No. 976):

An Act providing that Flagler County, Florida, shall comprise and constitute a part of the Eighth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, and to prescribe the time

for holding the terms of the Circuit Court in said county and prescribing the effect of this Act on pending cases in said court, and prescribing when this Act shall take effect.

Also—

(House Bill No. 898):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Union County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants and to provide for the application of the moneys derived from such issue and sale.

Also—

(House Bill No. 707):

An Act to make it unlawful to take or catch shrimp or prawn for commercial purposes within the bays, sounds, inlets or rivers in the County of Nassau, in the State of Florida.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 955):

An Act to fix the times for holding the regular terms of the Circuit Court of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

Also—

(House Bill No. 842):

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm that certain ordinance passed by the City of Leesburg, Florida, on the tenth day of May, A. D. 1920, and to declare the "Improvement Extension Bonds of the City of Leesburg, Florida," to be valid and legal obligations of the City of Leesburg, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 864):

An Act to amend Sections three and sixteen of Chapter 7657 of the Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act relating to the police pension and relief fund of the City of Jacksonville," Approved May 25th, 1917.

Also—

(House Bill No. 561):

An Act to describe, define the boundaries and create 37 Special Tax School Districts in Manatee County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 568):

An Act to declare it to be unlawful for any person in the State of Florida, who, standing charged with any criminal offense, and having executed a bail bond, shall thereafter forfeit such bond by not appearing in court according to the terms and conditions of such bond.

Also—

(House Bill No. 819):

An Act to authorize the City of Orlando to levy a special tax of two mills for publicity purposes.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 775):

An Act to amend Sections 5 and 19 of Chapter 6455 of the Acts of 1913, as amended by Chapter 6957, Acts of 1915, as amended by Chapter 7862 of the Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida; all of said chapters of the Laws of Florida relating to the creation of the Everglades Drainage District of the State of Florida, defining its boundaries, prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes, and imposing assessments upon the lands in said district, and issuing bonds for the purpose of draining and reclaiming the said lands and carrying into effect the provisions of the said Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 933):

An Act to authorize the Mayor and Council of the City of Plant City, Florida, to issue bonds of the said city for the purpose of paving the streets of the said city, and to provide the manner of the issuance of the said bonds by the said city, and for other purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 977):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing

time warrants in the sum of one hundred dollars, bearing interest at six per cent per annum, and payable on or before a date twenty-five years after date thereof, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a public road and bridges to be known as Orlando Highway, from Cocoa to the Orange line, and to provide for the payment of the same.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 832):

An Act to be entitled, An Act to repeal Chapter 7762, adopted at the extra-ordinary session of the State of Florida, of 1918, approved December 7th, 1918, entitled: "An Act to fix the terms of office and compensation of

the Supervisors and Secretary and Treasurer of the Southern Drainage District; proving that Joe Conrad shall also serve as Secretary and L. T. Highleyman as Treasurer of said district, and the salary of the attorney for said board," and to fix the terms of office and compensation of the Board of Supervisors of the said Southern Drainage District.

Also—

(House Bill No. 865):

An Act providing the time for the holding of the Fall Terms of the Circuit Court of the 7th Judicial Circuit in and for the County of Brevard.

Also—

(House Bill No. 928):

An Act fixing the salaries of the Judges of the Criminal Courts in counties of one hundred thousand (100,000) or more population.

Also—

(House Bill No. 844):

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm assessments made against certain property in the City of Leesburg, Florida, for certain street improvements as made by the City Council of said city on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1920.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 748):

An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida, to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof; and to provide for the carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 849):

An Act providing for the holding of an election in Palmetto Special Tax School District No. 33 of Manatee County, Florida, for the purpose of determining whether or not the rate of interest on the unsold bonds of said district dated June 1, 1920, shall be increased, and permitting the issuance of said bonds at a rate of interest to be determined at said election, arranging for the preparation of plans and specifications for the erection of a school building to be erected with the proceeds of the sale of said bonds, and the award of a contract for the erection thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 909):

An Act authorizing the City Commission of the City of Jacksonville to fix the price of gas and to regulate the furnishing of gas to consumers in the City of Jacksonville, and providing for an appeal from the order of the City Commission to the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida and giving such Railroad Commission jurisdiction thereof.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 904):

An Act to amend Chapter 7076 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, being An Act entitled: "An Act to provide for a special election in Special Road and Bridge District No. 4 of Palm Beach County, Florida; to provide for the submission to the duly registered voters who are freeholders residing within said district the question of constructing certain roads in lieu of a certain road hitherto voted to be constructed; to provide for holding said special election in conformity with the law concerning special road and bridge district elections; to provide, in case said special election is carried in the affirmative, for the issuance of bonds of the par value of forty thousand dollars to pay for the construction of the roads provided for in this Act; to provide for an additional tax levy of five mills for as many years as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act; and to provide that nothing in

this Act shall be held to impair the election held within the limits of said special road and bridge district on November 17, A. D. 1914."

Also—

(House Bill No. 943):

An Act to authorize and direct the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County, Florida, to call and hold a Special Election in Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of Alachua County, Florida; to provide for an issue of additional bonds for the construction of certain roads and bridges within said district, and to provide for the assessment and collection of a tax to pay for such bonds and the interest thereon when the same may become due.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 915):

An Act validating and confirming the election held in Special Road and Bridge District No. 3 of Holmes County on December 21, 1920, for the purpose of authorizing a change in the specifications of Roads Nos. 1 to 15, inclusive, in said district, and the keeping by said district of the road building outfit, mules and teams bought by the Board of County Commissioners for said county for building and repairing the public roads in said district, and to ratify and confirm to said Board of County Commissioners and the bond trustees of said district the power and authority voted to them in that behalf in said election.

Also—

(House Bill No. 729):

An Act to fix the per diem of the County Commissioners and members of the County Board of Public Instruction of Clay County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 895):

An Act to prohibit seining for the purpose of catching fish in Lake Clinch and Crooked Lake, being in the County of Polk in the State of Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation of said Act.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 932):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of St. Johns County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing coupon warrants in a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty thousand (\$130,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of borrowing money for acquiring a site for and for the construction and equipment of a county school building at Hastings, for acquiring a site for and for construction of a county school building at New Augustine and for the repair of the St. Augustine high school building and for general county school purposes and providing for the payment of principal and interest thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 871):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Citrus County, Florida, to issue not exceeding \$24,000.00 interest-bearing time warrants to fund the outstanding indebtedness of the general county school fund and for other school purposes.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 848):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, to issue and pay certain serial time warrants of said county, providing for the denominations thereof, the rate of interest thereon, time of maturity, the limit of issuance, the proceeds to be received from the sale of same, and further providing that said warrants or the proceeds thereof be used in maintaining and repairing certain public hard-surfaced rock roads in said county, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc., and to authorize and empower the said Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, to levy a tax of not more than three and one-half mills on the dollar on all taxable property in the county, each year, from year to year, for the purpose of retiring said warrants with the interest thereon, until all of said warrants with the interest thereon are paid.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report was duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint

Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 535):

An Act regulating the manner of catching and taking food fish from the fresh water lakes and streams in the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida, and from all rivers and streams in the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida or bordering on the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida and providing for a license tax for non-residents of the State of Florida to fish in the same and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 543):

An Act relating to the selection of list of jurors in new counties and the preservation of such list, the placing of jurors' names in the jury box and drawing and securing jurors in new counties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 534):

An Act for the protection of the public roads of Liberty County, Florida, and to provide for penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 541):

An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction of

Nassau County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants against Special Tax School District No. 1 of Nassau County, Florida, for the purpose of building, repairing and equipping school buildings and improving school grounds and of liquidating any legal indebtedness of said district.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. O. M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 451):

An Act to validate, legalize and confirm the creation, establishment and organization of the Clermont Special Drainage District in Lake County, Florida, and all the acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, relating thereto; to define its boundaries, to authorize the drainage of the lands therein, and the lowering of the waters of certain lakes in said district for the purpose of properly draining the

lands therein; to create a Board of Supervisors for said districts; to define the powers, privileges, duties and liabilities of said district, and the officers and agents thereof; to provide for the levying and collection of taxes upon the lands therein, and the sale of lands to enforce the collection of same; to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds to carry out the purposes of said district and the provisions of this Act.

/ Also—

(Senate Bill No. 538):

An Act to protect the hard-surfaced roads of Taylor County and to make certain acts in relation thereto a misdemeanor and punishable as such.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 533):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the action and proceedings of every person, officer and of the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida, in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven of Levy County, State of Florida, as the same has been authorized by the voters of said district.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 519):

An Act authorizing the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to sell or lease their interest in and to petroleum or gas rights on or under lands in Dade County, Florida, now owned by private individuals or corporations.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 540):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Escambia, State of Florida, to expend the proceeds of certain time warrants authorized by Chapter 8042, special acts of the Legislature, 1919, which certain time warrants were authorized to be used for the construction of a bridge over Jackson Creek on the County Road between West Pensacola and Bayou Grande, amounting to \$3,800.00.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 539):

An Act relating to the compensation of members of county school boards and superintendents of public instruction in counties having a population of more than thirty-seven thousand, and not more than forty thousand people, according to the State census of 1915.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 276):

An Act granting pension to W. D. Frazier.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 805):

An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 5-a, 12, 26, 27, 28 and 28-a of An Act entitled: "An Act creating Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District; to maintain and operate said drainage and highway district in this State and define its boundaries; to create a board of supervisors for said districts, and to define its powers; authorizing the construction of hard-surfaced roadways and other roadways, canals, ditches, drains, dikes, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement, convenience and benefit of the lands embraced in said district, and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands in such district, and to provide for the collection of the same, and the sale of lands to enforce the collection of such assessments, and to authorize the Board of Supervisors of this said district to borrow money, to issue bonds, notes, warrants and evidences of indebtedness and deposit the same; to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, and prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to provide penalty for the violation of such provisions," the same being Chapter 7975, Laws of Florida, approved June 10, A. D. 1919, and validating the acts and contracts made by and with said Board of Supervisors, and validating five hundred thousand dollars, par value, of bonds issued by resolution of

said district September 9th, A. D. 1920, and prescribing a limitation for the bringing of suits or actions against said district in certain instances.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bill contained in the above report was duly signed by the President and the Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Wilson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 246:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State School Book Commission to procure a uniform series of text-books for the use of the elementary and high schools of the State of Florida; to define the duties and powers of said commission; to make appropriations for carrying this Act into effect; providing penalties for the violation of the same; and to repeal Sections 668 to 686 both inclusive, of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to a uniform system of text-books.

Have had the same under consideration and find the same correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

E. P. WILSON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 246, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read:

State of Florida,
Executive Department,
Tallahassee, June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate,
Capitol.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, and have caused the same to be filed in the office of Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 27):

An Act to amend Section 756 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to advertising and selling lands for unpaid taxes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 87):

An Act authorizing certain banks and trust companies incorporated under the laws of Florida to invest in the stock of certain corporations organized for the purpose of engaging in international or foreign banking or other international or foreign financial operations.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 340):

An Act for the relief of Edgar C. Thompson, State Attorney for the 15th Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, for loss compensation during suspension from office.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 385):

An Act to provide for assistance to ex-service men and women in securing benefits provided for them by laws of the United States.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 437):

An Act providing for the creation of the office of traffic officer, and providing for the appointment, compensation, expenses, duties and powers of such traffic officer, and the term of office in counties of more than eighty thousand and less than one hundred thousand population, according to the last preceding Federal census.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 194):

An Act for the relief of J. C. Van Pelt.

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,
Governor.

By consent of Mr. Roland—

Mr. Cooper moved that House Bill No. 820 be taken up out of its order and now considered.
Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 820:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the payment of the heirs of W. W. Wall, deceased, who are the holders and owners thereof, of certain outstanding and unpaid State warrants issued by the Comptroller of this State under Chapter 1175, Laws of Florida, for services rendered the State with interest thereon.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 820 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 820 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 820 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 820 was read a third time in full.
Mr. Johnson moved to defer further action on the bill until 9:30 tonight.

Which was agreed to.

The Senate resumed the consideration of Senate Bill No. 504.

The following amendment, as contained in the (last) House Message was read:

House Amendment No. 10: "Add at the end of Section 3 the following: "\$80,000 is hereby appropriated for two years for the State Live Stock Sanitary Board."

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 10, contained in the message.

Which was agreed to.

So the Senate refused to concur in the House Amendment.

And—

The House of Representatives was requested to recede from its position thereon.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Johnson moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 593 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 593:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the Florida State Hospital; the Florida Industrial School for Boys; the Florida Industrial School for Girls, and the Florida Farm Colony for Epileptic and Feeble-Minded, for two years from June 30, 1921.

Was taken up.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 593 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 593 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 593:

In Section 1 strike out the words "warehouse at Spur track, \$4,000.00."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 590:

In Section 2 strike out the words "extension to tannery \$500.00."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was not agreed to.

Pending the further consideration of the bill—

Mr. Malone moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned until 8:30 o'clock tonight.

NIGHT SESSION

8:30 O'CLOCK

The Senate met pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—32.

A quorum present.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton introduced—

Senate Bill No. 557 :

A bill to be entitled An Act to confirm and validate an election called by the Board of Public Instruction of Polk County, Florida, for and in behalf of the Lakeland Special Tax School District Number one of said county on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1921, to determine whether or not said Special Tax School District should issue bonds in the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars for

school purposes as hereinafter set forth, and to confirm and validate the bonds to be issued thereunder and to confirm and validate all proceedings upon which the issuing of said bonds shall be based.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 557 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 557 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 557 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 557 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Eaton moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 557 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Taylor moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 514 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 514:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriation for the prevention, eradication and control of especially injurious insects, pests, and honey bee diseases, which may have been or may be introduced into the State of Florida, for quarantine, nursery and honey bee inspection; to be

used and expended under the direction of the State Plant Board as herein provided.

Was taken up, and read a second time in full.

Pending the consideration of the bill—

Mr. Stokes moved that House Bill No. 18 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 18:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of S. A. Johnson, of Escambia County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 18 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 18 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 18 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 18 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Russell, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Stokes moved that the passage of House Bill No. 18 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 516):

An Act creating a Board of Charities for each county having a population of over 100,000, and prescribing its powers and duties, providing for its financial support, and providing for the qualification of its members, and repealing all laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 975):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Suwannee County, Florida, to appropriate and expend annually from the General Revenue Fund of said county the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars to advertise and give publicity to the natural and other advantages of said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 709):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the proceedings of the County Board of Public Instruction of St. Lucie County, Florida, in issuing bonds for the purpose of enlarging the present public high school building at Vero, St. Lucie County, Florida, in Special Tax School District No. 11.

Also—

(House Bill No. 760):

An Act to amend Section 1537 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the sale of county bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 938):

An Act to prohibit hogs from running at large in a certain part of Osceola County and providing for impounding, and a penalty for the violation thereof.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 599):

An Act amending Sections 7, 23, 34, 35, 41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 54, 55, 56, 60 and 61, of Chapter 4811, Laws of Florida (Acts of 1907), same being the Charter Act of the City of Jasper, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 905):

An Act to create and incorporate the Stuart Road and Bridge District in Palm Beach County, Florida; to prescribe the boundaries of said district; to provide for the administration of said district; to authorize and direct the County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to build and maintain roads and bridges in said district; to authorize and direct said commissioners to issue and sell bonds on behalf of the said district, and to levy taxes for the payment of said bonds and for the maintenance of roads and bridges of said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 334):

An Act to aid Anna Dummett Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy, Incorporated, of St. Augustine, Florida, in the completion of payment for the Loring Memorial, erected in St. Augustine, Florida, in honor of Gen. William Wing Loring, distinguished son of Florida; and for the

curbing, railing and concrete work around the said Loring Memorial for its proper protection; to make an appropriation therefor, and to provide for the payment of such appropriation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 907):

An Act authorizing the Mayor of Jacksonville to appoint special policemen.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. —):

An Act to protect the fish in the rivers, creeks, canals and inside waters of Broward County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 876):

An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the hunting of squirrels in Okaloosa County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violations of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 723):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Dade County, Florida, to sell the court house and jail and Block 115-A of Miami, according to a plat recorded in Plat Book B, at page 41, of the Public Records of Dade County, Florida, on which site the court house and jail are erected, and to acquire

other property in the City of Miami, Florida, for court house and jail purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 917):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Lucie County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of constructing an addition to the court house of St. Lucie County, Florida, and furnishing equipment therefor, and providing for a vote by the electors of said county on the question of issuing said time warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 886):

An Act regulating the open season for the hunting of wild deer and wild turkey in the County of Lee, in the State of Florida, and to authorize the County of Lee, in the State of Florida, and to authorize the County Commissioners of Lee County to appropriate funds for the enforcement of this Act.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 874):

An Act to authorize and empower the Town Council of the Town of Brooksville to cause to be drawn and issued the said towns interest-bearing time warrants in a total amount not exceeding Six Thousand Dollars, with interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum, interest pay-

able semi-annually, and providing in what amounts said warrants shall be drawn and when they shall become due and payable; to levy a tax on all the taxable property within the territorial limits of said town, not to exceed three mills on the dollar in excess of the millage now authorized by law to be levied by said town, for the purpose of retiring the aforesaid warrants with their interest; and providing for an election to be held in said town, at which election only such persons shall participate therein as are duly qualified to vote in bond elections held in and by said town.

Also—

(House Bill No. 899):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to borrow money in amounts not to exceed the aggregate of \$25,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and repairing public roads and bridges in said county, to issue interest-bearing time warrants therefor; and to authorize a tax levy for the payment of the same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 761):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners in any county in the State, where bonds have heretofore been voted for the construction of hard-surfaced roads, to change the date of maturity of installments of said bonds.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 945):

An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 5497, Laws of the State of Florida, entitled "An Act extending and enlarging the territorial limits and powers of the City of Gainesville, a municipal corporation organized and existing in Alachua County, Florida, and providing for the exercise of those powers."

Also—

(House Bill No. 814):

An Act to empower, authorize and direct the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County (as it exists after the creation of Union County) to levy a special tax for the purpose of paying Union County for its share of the property of the old County of Bradford.

Also—

(House Bill No. 615):

An Act authorizing the City of Jacksonville to furnish electricity to municipalities and other users thereof in Duval County, and granting said city the right to construct and maintain electric lines along highways for said purpose.

Also—

(House Bill No. 900):

An Act to ratify, confirm, validate and legalize \$350,000 of bonds by and on behalf of Special Tax School District No. 4, in Hillsborough County, Florida, voted and provided for at an election held in said district on April 11th, A. D. 1921, and more particularly described in the resolution of the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Hillsborough, Florida, adopted by said board at its meeting held on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1921, and recorded in the minutes of said meeting; and all proceedings for the issuance and sale of said bonds, and providing that said bonds, upon the issuance, sale and delivery thereof,

shall constitute valid and binding obligations according to the tenor effect thereof said district.

Also—

(House Conocurrent Resolution No. 22):

Whereas the Army Appropriation Bill passed by the House of Representatives of the National Congress provides for the sale of ten thousand motor trucks and two thousand automobiles, which if adopted by the Senate, will prevent further distribution to the State to aid in road construction.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 12):

Whereas, a period of fifty-six years has passed since "the war between the States," and we have since fought "shoulder to shoulder the Spanish-American War" to free the people of Cuba, and "the World War" for the preservation of civilization and christianity, and we are now "brothers of a common country," and the most powerful and enlightened nation in the history of the world, and stand for justice and right. And we know, as the world does, that speaking a different language than does the French, imposed upon France after a most bloody war, some fifty years ago, after France had conquered and humiliated Germany several times in the previous one hundred years, a war indemnity of one billion dollars, and France possessed about twice the population and resources as did the States composing "the Confederate States of America" in the Civil War, etc.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 885):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants not to exceed the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars for and on behalf and as the liability of Special Road and Bridge District Number Two (2), of Lee County, Florida, to use the proceeds thereof for the purpose of further improving and hard-surfacing the roads in Special Road and Bridge District Number Two (2) of Lee County, Florida; and to provide for the levy and collection of a special tax against the taxable property in said special road and bridge district for the purpose of paying the interest on such time warrants, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity, and for the purpose of road and bridge construction in case such time warrants are not sold.

Also—

(House Bill No. 22):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, pave and maintain a public road or highway within said Osceola County known as the Shingle Creek-Lake Wilson Road, and providing the rate of interest which said warrants shall bear, how and where payable and the period for which said warrants shall run, and providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 816):

An Act requiring firms or corporations running or operating log, timber or turpentine cart, or carts, wagon or wagons, traction engine, motor truck, tractors or trailers on or over any public roads in the counties of Santa Rosa and Washington, and persons hauling heavy loads of any kind on or over such roads, to keep that portion of the road used by them in repair; providing a penalty for failure to do so; providing for civil action to recover damages, including attorney's fees, by the county commissioners in a civil action, and providing for the issuing of temporary and permanent injunction and other orders by the circuit court to prevent damage to public roads.

Also—

(House Bill No. 918):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to issue interest bearing time warrants in the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at six per cent. per annum, and payable twenty years after date for the purpose of constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in said county, and to provide for the payment of the same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 887):

An Act to protect the public roads of Manatee County, and to make certain acts in relation thereto a misdemeanor and punishable as such.

152—S. J.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 929):

An Act to protect the fish in the rivers, canals and inside water of Flagler County, Florida.

Also—

(House Memorial No. 8):

Memorializing the Florida Representatives in Congress to use every effort to secure the early passage of a bill known as the soldiers and sailors adjusted compensation Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 906):

An Act to repeal Chapter 8150 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, being an Act entitled: "An Act to extend and enlarge the territorial limits of Special Road and Bridge District Number four (4) of Palm Beach County, Florida, by adding additional territory to said district; to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to build certain hard-surfaced highways and bridges within said district and for and on behalf of said district; to require said Board of County Commissioners to call an election of the qualified voters of said district to vote upon the question of issuing bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing said highways and bridges; to authorize said Board of County Com-

missioners to issue and dispose of said bonds if such election shall be carried in the affirmative; and to authorize said Board of County Commissioners to levy taxes for the payment of the principal and interest to accrue on said bonds."

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 910):

An Act relating to the South Lake Worth Inlet District and amending Chapter 7080 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, approved June 5, 1915. Being An Act entitled: "An Act to create and incorporate a special taxing district in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as Townships forty-four (44) south, Range forty-three (43) east, and all the Townships forty-four (44) and forty-five (45) south, Range forty-two (42) east, and to prescribe the boundaries of said district, and to provide for the government and administration of the same, and to prescribe and define the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof, and to authorize said board to construct an inlet in said district to connect the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean and all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith, and to empower said board to levy and provide for the collection of taxes upon all the taxable property in said district for said purposes and other purposes au-

thorized by this Act, and to authorize said board to borrow money and to issue and sell bonds and procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and generally to create and provide the powers of such district for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said district connecting the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean."

Beg leave to report that the same has been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 843):

An Act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the action of the City Council of the City of Leesburg, Florida, in accepting and selling certain accommodation notes signed by certain citizens of said city for the purpose of financing the electric light, water and ice plants belonging to said city.

Also—

(House Bill No. 418):

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the County School Boards in counties having a population between fifty thousand and one hundred and fifty thousand persons, according to the last Federal census.

Also—

(House Bill No. 976):

An Act providing that Flagler County, Florida shall

comprise and constitute a part of the Eighth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida and to prescribe the time for holding the terms of the Circuit Court in said county, and prescribing the effect of this Act on pending cases in said court, and prescribing when this Act shall take effect."

Also—

(House Bill No. 898):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Union County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants, and to provide for the application of the moneys derived from such issue and sale.

Also—

(House Bill No. 707):

An Act to make it unlawful to take or catch shrimp or prawn for commercial purposes within the bays, sounds, inlets, or rivers in the County of Nassau, in the State of Florida.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 955):

An Act to fix the times for holding the regular terms of the Circuit Court of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

Also—

(House Bill No. 842):

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm that certain

ordinance passed by the City of Leesburg, Florida, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1920, and to declare the "Improvement-Extension Bonds of the City of Leesburg, Florida" to be valid and legal obligations of the City of Leesburg, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 864):

An Act to amend Sections 3 and 16 of Chapter 7657 of the Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act relating to the police pension and relief fund of the City of Jacksonville," approved May 25th, 1917.

Also—

(House Bill No. 561):

An Act to describe, define the boundaries and create thirty-seven special tax school districts in Manatee County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 568):

An Act to declare it to be unlawful for any person in the State of Florida, who standing charged with any criminal offense and having executed a bail bond shall thereafter forfeit such bond by not appearing in court according to the terms and conditions of such bond.

Also—

(House Bill No. 819):

An Act to authorize the City of Orlando to levy a special tax of two mills for publicity purposes.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 775):

An Act to amend Sections 5 and 19 of Chapter 6455 of the Acts of 1913, as amended by Chapter 6957, Acts of 1915, as amended by Chapter 7862, of the Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida; all of said chapters of the Laws of Florida relating to the creation of the Everglades Drainage District of the State of Florida, defining its boundaries, prescribing its powers and duties, and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes, and imposing assessments upon the lands in said district, and issuing bonds for the purpose of draining and reclaiming the said lands and carrying into effect the provisions of the said Act.

And—

(House Bill No. 933):

An Act to authorize the Mayor and Council of the City of Plant City, Florida, to issue bonds of the said city for the purpose of paving the streets of the said city, and to provide the manner of the issuance of the said bonds by the said city, and for other purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 977):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants in the sum of One Hundred Dollars, bearing interest at six per cent. per annum, and payable on or before a date twenty-five years after date thereof for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a public road and bridges to be known as Orlando Highway from Cocoa to the Orange line, and to provide for the payment of the same.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 832):

An Act to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 7762, adopted at the extra-ordinary session of the State of Florida, of 1918, approved December 7th, 1918, entitled: "An Act to fix the terms of office and compensation of the Supervisors and Secretary and Treasurer of the Southern Drainage District; proving that Joe Conrad shall also serve as Secretary and L. T. Highleyman as Treasurer of said district, and the salary of the attorney for said board," and to fix the terms of office and compensation of the Board of Supervisors of the said Southern Drainage District.

Also—

(House Bill No. 865):

An Act providing the time for the holding of the Fall Terms of the Circuit Court of the 7th Judicial Circuit in and for the County of Brevard.

Also—

(House Bill No. 928):

An Act fixing the salaries of the Judges of the Criminal Courts in counties of one hundred thousand (100,000) or more population.

Also—

(House Bill No. 844):

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm assessments made against certain property in the City of Leesburg, Florida, for certain street improvements as made by the city council of said city on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1920.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.
Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 748):

An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof; and to provide for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 849):

An Act providing for the holding of an election in Palmetto Special Tax School District No. 33 of Manatee County, Florida, for the purpose of determining whether or not the rate of interest on the unsold bonds of said district dated June 1, 1920, shall be increased, and permitting the issuance of said bonds at a rate of interest to be determined at said election, arranging for the preparation of plans and specifications for the erection of a school building to be erected with the proceeds of the sale of said bonds, and the award of a contract for the erection thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 909) :

An Act authorizing the City Commission of the City of Jacksonville to fix the price of gas and to regulate the furnishing of gas to consumers in the City of Jacksonville, and providing for an appeal from the order of City Commission to the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida and giving such Railroad Commission thereof.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 904) :

An Act to amend Chapter 7076 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, being An Act entitled "An Act to provide for a special election in Special Road and Bridge District No. 4 of Palm Beach County, Florida; to provide for the submission to the duly registered voters who are freeholders residing within said district the question of constructing certain roads in lieu of a certain road hitherto voted to be constructed; to provide for holding said special election in conformity with the law concerning Special road and bridge district elections; to provide, in case said special election is carried in the affirmative, for the issuance of bonds of the par value of forty thousand dollars to pay for the construction of the roads provided for in this Act; to provide for an additional tax levy of five mills for as many years as may be necessary to carry out

the purposes of this Act; and to provide that nothing in this Act shall be held to impair the election held within the limits of said Special Road and Bridge District on November 17, A. D. 1914."

Also—

(House Bill No. 943) :

An Act to authorize and direct the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County, Florida, to call and hold a special election in Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of Alachua County, Florida; to provide for an issue of additional bonds for the construction of certain roads and bridges within said district, and to provide for the assessment and collection of a tax to pay for such bonds and the interest thereon when the same may be come due.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 915) :

An Act validating and confirming the election held in Special Road and Bridge District No. 3 of Holmes County on December 21, 1920, for the purpose of authorizing a change in the specifications of Roads Nos. 1 to 15 inclusive in said district, and the keeping by said district of the road building outfit, mules and teams bought by the Board of County Commissioners for said county for

building and repairing the public roads in said district, and to ratify and confirm to said Board of County Commissioners and the bond trustees of said district the power and authority voted to them in that behalf in said election.

Also—

(House Bill No. 729):

An Act to fix the per diem of the County Commissioners and members of the County Board of Public Instruction of Clay County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 895):

An Act to prohibit seining for the purpose of catching fish in Lake Clinch, and Crooked Lake, being in the County of Polk in the State of Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation of said Act.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 848):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, to issue and pay certain serial time warrants of said county, providing for the denominations thereof, the rate of interest thereon, time of maturity, the limit of issuance, the proceeds to be received from the sale of same, and further provid-

ing that said warrants or the proceeds thereof be used in maintaining and repairing certain public hard-surfaced rock roads in said county, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, etc., and to authorize and empower the said Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, to levy a tax of not more than three and one-half mills on the dollar on all the taxable property in the county, each year, from year to year, for the purpose of retiring said warrants with the interest thereon, until all of said warrants with the interest thereon are paid.

Beg leave to report that the same has been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 932):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of St. Johns County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing coupon warrants in a sum not exceeding One Hundred and Thirty Thousand (\$130,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of borrowing money for acquiring a site for and for the construction and equipment of a county school building at Hastings, for acquiring a site for and for construction and equipment of a county school building at New Augustine and for the repair of the St. Augustine High School building and for general county school purposes and providing for the payment of principal and interest thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 871):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Citrus County, Florida, to issue not exceeding \$24,000.00 interest-bearing time warrants to fund the outstanding indebtedness of the general county school fund and for other school purposes.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 21):

Whereas, the citizens of Pensacola have voted four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00) of municipal bonds to be expended in building docks and a belt line railway, both of which improvements are necessary and required to provide facilities, and make useful the city's superior harbor for its increasing volume of commerce, and, etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 916):

An Act to validate, ratify and confirm the creation and organization of East Palatka Drainage District, in Putnam County, State of Florida, and to decree said drainage district legally incorporated.

Also—

(House Bill No. 815):

An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the

hunting of squirrels in Columbia County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 836):

An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the hunting of squirrels in Wakulla County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 883):

An Act authorizing, empowering and permitting the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Manatee and State of Florida, to re-number the special tax school districts in Manatee County, and to alter the boundaries of said districts.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 805):

An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5A, 12, 26, 27, 28 and 28A of An Act entitled "An Act creating Palm Beach Drainage and Highway district; to maintain and operate said drainage and highway district in this State and define its boundaries; to create a Board of Supervisors for said districts, and to define its powers; authorizing the construction of hard-surfaced roadways and other roadways, canals, ditches, drains, dikes, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement, convenience

and benefit of the lands embraced in said district, and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands in such district, and to provide for the collection of such assessments, and to authorize the Board of Supervisors of this said district to borrow money, to issue bonds, notes, warrants and evidences of indebtedness and deposit the same; to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, and prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to provide penalty for the violation of such provisions," the same being Chapter 7975, Laws of Florida, approved June 10, A. D. 1919, and validating the Acts and contracts made by and with said Board of Supervisors, and validating five hundred thousand dollars, par value, of bonds issued by resolution of said district September 9th, A. D. 1920, and prescribing a limitation for the bringing of suits or actions against said district in certain instances.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Part of the Senate.

Senator Johnson arose to a question of privilege, and on behalf of the members of the Senate presented to the President a handsome silver service as a testimonial to him of their affection for him and their admiration of him as a man and a presiding officer.

On behalf of the attaches, Mr. C. Y. Byrd presented to the President two silver goblets as an expression of their appreciation of his uniform consideration and courtesy during the session.

To each of which the President feelingly responded.

Mr. Calkins moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 635 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 635:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4618 of the Revised General Statutes of 1920, relating to the duties and powers of the Railroad Commissioners.

Was taken up.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 635 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 635 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 635 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 635 was read a third time in full.

Mr. Rowe moved to waive the rules and place House Bill No. 635 back upon the second reading, for the purpose of amending same.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowe asked permission to offer an amendment to the bill.

Objection was made thereto.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Igou, Knight, Mapoles, Overstreet, Roland, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Bradshaw, Eaton, Johnson, Knabb, Malone, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley—9.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Johnson moved that the Senate be at ease for ten minutes.

Which was agreed to.

The Senate resumed its session.

Mr. Taylor moved to resume consideration of House Bill No. 514.

Which was agreed to.

House Bill No. 514:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriation for the prevention, eradication and control of especially injurious insects, pests and honey bee diseases, which may have been or may be introduced into the State of Florida, for quarantine, nursery and honey bee inspection; to be

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used and expended under the direction of the State Plant Board as herein provided.

Was taken up.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 514:

In Section 1, lines 1 and 2, strike out the words and figures "three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred and fifty (\$250,000) thousand dollars."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called, and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Mapoles, Plympton, Rowe, Singletary, Turnbull.

Nays—Messrs. Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Igou, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wilson—17.

So the amendment was not agreed to.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 514:

In Section 2, line 1, strike out the words and figures "one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000) dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one hundred and twenty-five thousand (\$125,000) dollars."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was withdrawn.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 514:

In Section 2, lines 53 and 54, strike out the words and figures "one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000) dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one hundred and twenty-five thousand (\$125,000) dollars."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was withdrawn.

Mr. Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 514 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 514, as amended by the Senate, was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw,

Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—26.

Nays—Messrs. Epperson, Knight, Mapoles, Singletary, Weaver—5.

So the bill, as amended by the Senate, passed, title as stated.

Mr. Taylor moved that the passage of House Bill No. 514 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Johnson moved to waive the rules and take up message from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

And the following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 387:

A bill to be entitled An Act to dissolve the Old Confederate Soldiers' and Sailors' Home Association, a corporation not for profit; to authorize the officers and directors of the corporation to convey its assets to the State of Florida; to provide for the acquiring by the State of Florida the title to the Ex-Confederate Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in Duval County, Florida; to hold the same in trust as therein provided and to provide for the improvement of the said property, and appropriate money therefor, and to provide for a Board of Managers to conduct the affairs of the said institution.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 137:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the State Board of Pensions to pay Thomas V. Anderson, an aged Confederate soldier, the sum of twenty-five dollars per month during his natural life out of the pension funds of the State of Florida, and to place him on the pension roll.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 532:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the State Live Stock Sanitary Board to purchase anti-hog cholera serum and virus and to distribute the same at cost.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 546:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, approve and confirm all of the acts and proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of Hastings Drainage District in St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler Counties, Florida, since the passage of the Special Validating Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida, approved on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1919, Chapter 7969, all of the acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors and all officers and agents of said Hastings Drainage District acting for and on behalf of said district in carrying out the affairs of the said district, all acts and proceedings of the officers of said district had and taken in the matter of the sale and delivery of bonds of said district of the par value of one hundred and ninety-two thousand (\$192,000.00) dollars, bearing date July 1, A. D. 1918, and bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, any and all tax levies and assessments which have been made by the Board of Supervisors of said Hastings Drainage District for or on behalf of said district upon the taxable property within the said district, all advertisements of notice had or made by said district for all purposes whatsoever; and to authorize the issuance of negotiable notes or certificates of indebtedness of said district in an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars, bearing interest at not exceeding eight per centum per annum; and to prescribe the method of making tax assessments and of paying taxes upon lands within the said district; and concerning land-owners' meetings in said district, and to prescribe number of land-owners which shall constitute a quorum at land-owners' meetings of said district, and

number of votes each land-owner shall be entitled to at land-owners' meetings of said district.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 387, 137, 532, 546, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

(Senate Bill No. 554:

A bill to be entitled An Act to place the name of Hon. T. C. Carroll, of Macclenny, Florida, on the pension roll of the State of Florida, and to authorize the payment of a pension to the said T. C. Carroll.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 555:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of and to authorize the payment of a pension to Andrew Jackson Leavins.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 556:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to John E. Scaff and providing for the payment of said pension.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 557:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confirm and validate an election called by the Board of Public Instruction of Polk County, Florida, for and in behalf of the Lakeland Special Tax School District Number one of said county on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1921, to determine whether or not said Special Tax School District should issue bonds in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars for school pur-

poses as hereinafter set forth, and to confirm and validate the bonds to be issued thereunder and to confirm, and validate all proceedings upon which the issuing of said bonds shall be based.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 554, 555, 556 and 557, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has receded from its two amendments, Nos. 8 and 10, to—

Senate Bill No. 504:

• A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriation for salaries and expenses of the State Government for two years from the 30th day of June, 1921.

Which said amendments so receded from are as follows:

8. Add as Section 3-A the following: "Kissimmee River Cattle Company Claim Committee under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18, expense of investigation, \$500.00, and all in excess of \$500.00 spent for this purpose shall be paid by the Kissimmee River Cattle Company.

10. "\$80,000.00 is hereby appropriated for two years for the Live Stock Sanitary Board."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 504, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 139:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1238 and 1239 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to shell fish.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1—In Section 1239, line 8, strike out the words "clams or shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or clams."

Amendment No. 2—In Section 1239, line 40, strike out the words "clams or shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or clams."

Amendment No. 3—In Section 1239, line 6, strike out the words "clams or shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or clams."

Amendment No. 4—In Section 1239, line 3, strike out the words "clams or shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or clams."

Amendment No. 5—In Section 1239, line 203, strike out the words "clams or shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or clams."

Amendment No. 6—In Section 1238, line 2, strike out the words "clams and shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or clams."

Amendment No. 7—In Section 1239, line 12, strike out the words "clams and shrimp" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and clams."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 557:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful for horses, mules, cattle, swine or other grazing animals to run or roam at large in the following prescribed limits of Hillsborough County, Florida, to-wit, etc.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out all of Section 5 and insert the following:
"Section 6. That at any time before January 21st, 1922, and after the passage of this Act the County Commissioners of Hillsborough County may, upon their own motion, and shall upon the petition of twenty-five per cent. of the duly qualified voters of the territory hereinbefore described in Section 1 of this Act, call and provide for an election upon a question of allowing live stock to run or roam at large in said described territory. The said Board of County Commissioners shall call such election to be held within forty days after the recording of their own motion, or within forty days after the receipt of the said petition, giving thirty days' notice thereof by publication in a newspaper published in said county, such election to be conducted in the canvass of the votes certified to and returns and the canvass of returns made in the manner and within the time prescribed for general elections, except that the returns shall be delivered to the chairman and clerk of the Board of County Commissioners instead of the supervisor of registration and the county judge and that the Board of County Commissioners shall canvass the returns and declare the result and cause the same to be recorded in their minutes.

Section 7. That if at such election three-fifths of the votes cast shall be in favor of prohibiting live stock from running or roaming at large in said described territory, such prohibition shall become effective 90 days after the date of such election.

Section 8. This Act shall become effective on its passage and its ratification as hereinbefore set forth.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 749:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the appointment of a Commission on the construction of an all-inland canal from Cumberland Sound to or near the mouth of the Mississippi River.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

Strike out all of title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill to be entitled An Act creating a commission to be known as 'The Florida State Commission for Securing the Construction of the Atlantic, Gulf and Mississippi Canal.

"Whereas, The Legislature of Florida has endorsed and approved the construction by the Federal Government of a canal across the State of Florida, connecting the Atlantic Ocean with the Gulf of Mexico, and directed that the Congress of the United States be petitioned to cause

said proposed canal to be definitely located and constructed as soon as possible; and

Whereas, The construction of a sea-level canal, capable of carrying the largest vessels, commencing at Cumberland Sound on the Atlantic Seaboard and extending thence up the St. Marys River across the Okefenoke Swamp, and thence to St. George's Sound on the Gulf of Mexico, and the opening up of the existing natural waterway along the northern edge of the Gulf of Mexico from St. George's Sound to the Mississippi River at or near New Orleans, will extend the Mississippi River to the Atlantic Ocean for the purposes of barge transportation; and will make it possible to deliver the products of the Mississippi Valley at a warm water South Atlantic port by barge transportation through a protected water route without trans-shipment and with the lowest freight cost; and

"Whereas, The construction of such a canal and waterway will provide an intercepting trunk line of water transportation connecting the Mississippi and all the rivers east of the Mississippi which flow into the Gulf with each other and with a South Atlantic Port at Cumberland Sound; thereby making it possible to transport on barges through a protected water route the products of the country drained by such rivers, and to deliver these products at the Atlantic Seaboard, where the best markets are available; and

"Whereas, The construction of the proposed canal and the opening up of the said Inland Waterway by so supplying a connecting trunk line of protected water transportation to the Seaboard, will bring into actual use and will develop the water transportation of the Mississippi River and of the other rivers east of the Mississippi flowing into the Gulf of Mexico; and thereby will make it possible to utilize for freight transportation over fifteen thousand miles of navigable stream draining the central and southeastern sections of the United States; and

Whereas, Such a water system of transportation will largely solve the transportation problems of the Mississippi Valley and of the southeastern section of the United States; will greatly aid the agricultural and industrial activities in said section by furnishing them perpetual and cheap transportation to the Seaboard, where the best

markets are located, will enhance the value of farm lands through the provision of means for delivering their products to market; will furnish a perpetual avenue of transportation of practically unlimited capacity for such products; will, through water competition, insure low freight rates by rail for the products of that section to Atlantic ports; and will benefit a large section of the United States in greater degree than could be accomplished by the construction of thousands of miles of railroads throughout the section with their heavy maintenance and interest charges; and

Whereas, the building of such canal will greatly simplify the question of National Defense; will create a short cut between the Atlantic and the Gulf of Mexico, thereby eliminating nearly five hundred miles of distance by the water route between New Orleans and the Gulf ports, on the one hand, and New York and Liverpool, on the other, with a similar saving of distance as between the Gulf ports and other Atlantic Seaboard and European ports; and will eliminate the dangers to shipping incident to the passage of the Straits of Florida, with consequent reduction of marine insurance, with a saving in time, and with reduced cost for the delivery of the products of the sections served to the markets of the world; and

Whereas, the construction of the said canal and the opening up of said inland waterway will not only materially benefit the States of Georgia and Florida, but will offer material benefits and advantages to fully one-half of the producing area of the United States, and will form an essential link in the system of inland waterways to the construction of which the Federal Government is already committed; and

Whereas, the route for a lock-barge canal between Cumberland Sound and the Gulf of Mexico was surveyed and reported on by engineers for the Federal Government in 1876 and 1880, which survey and report show that a lock-barge canal or a lock-ship canal can be built at a reasonable cost, and that the construction of the same is feasible; and

Whereas, The requirements of modern commerce and the quick and easy transportation of the enormously increased volume of products, as well as the requirements of the National Defense and the facilities necessary to the development of an American Merchant Marine, indi-

cates that such a canal should be constructed as a sea-level canal, rather than as a lock canal; and

Whereas, The Committee on Railways and Canals of the National House of Representatives, Sixty-sixth Congress, Third Session, in Report No. 1246, made on January 27, 1921, recommended an appropriation by Congress of Fifty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of surveying and reporting on the feasibility and cost of such a canal and waterway; and

Whereas, It is desirable that the public attention be called to the advantages of the construction of the proposed canal and waterway as a National asset; that public interest be enlisted in urging upon Congress its early survey and construction; that the matter be actively and aggressively presented to and urged upon Congress and the Federal authorities; and that some body be created to take charge of and direct this effort; and

Whereas, The United States is the owner of valuable wharf property abutting on and adjacent to Cumberland Sound and its tributaries, where the terminus of such canal would be located; and

Whereas, It is the desire that the Legislatures of Georgia and of the other States tributary to the Gulf and to the Mississippi, and other rivers flowing into the Gulf, be asked to co-operate in the effort to secure the early construction of the said canal and waterway; and that they appoint suitable State Commissioners or Boards to represent the interests of their States in the effort to secure such early construction; and

Whereas, It is proper that the State of Florida, through which the major portion of said canal will run, and in whose waters both its Atlantic and Gulf terminal will be located, should take the initiative in the effort to secure to the other interested States and urge their co-operation in the effort to secure its construction by the Federal Government; now, therefore

Amendment No. 2—

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. That there is hereby created a permanent Commission to be known as 'The Florida State Commission for Securing the Construction of the Atlantic, Gulf and Mississippi Canal.' The said Commission shall consist of three members, all of whom shall be citizens of

Florida, and known to favor the construction by the Federal Government of a canal across the State of Florida, commencing at Cumberland Sound and extending to the Gulf of Mexico. These three members shall be appointed by the Governor within thirty days from the passage of this Act, and shall serve for a period of two years. In addition to the three members so named, the Governor of the State shall *ipso facto* be a member of the said Commission, and shall be entitled to participate in its deliberations. One of the three nominees of the Governor shall be designated by him as chairman of the said Commission.

"Section 2. The said Commission is authorized to receive from municipalities, commercial and civic organizations, and other corporations, individuals or other bodies, any voluntary contribution toward carrying on its work and to expend the same, and shall report to the Legislature a full statement of all such receipts and expenditures.

"Section 3. The said Commission is authorized to employ such agents, attorneys, assistants, engineers and other persons, on such terms and conditions as it may deem wise, the expense thereof to be paid out of any moneys in its hands.

"Section 4. The said Commission shall in every proper way call to the attention of Congress and other Federal authorities, the importance of, and necessity for, the prompt construction of the said canal and waterway, and shall in every way urge that the same be constructed at the earliest possible date. It shall, moreover, co-operate with and aid in every way possible, any United States engineers or other Federal authorities who may be charged with the survey or the construction of the said canal. The said Commission shall in every proper way endeavor to bring to the attention of the Nation as a whole, and particularly to the attention of the inhabitants of the states adjoining the said canal and waterway, and the states tributary to the rivers flowing into the same, and the States adjoining the Mississippi river and its tributaries, the advantages of the construction of the said canal. And it may present to, and urge upon, the legislatures of said states the appointment of commissions or representatives to co-operate with this commission in the effort to secure the early construction of the

said canal and waterway. To that end, the said Commission shall co-operate with any and all commissions so appointed by other States, and through organizations created for the purpose of developing the waterways of the United States and its river, harbors and water transportation, and other similar organizations, it shall endeavor to focus National attention upon the advantages which will follow the construction of the said Canal and waterways, to arouse National interest in the effort, and to ensure early consideration and early action by Congress upon this matter. The said commission shall make a full report to the next session of the Legislature as to what it has done. That the representatives from Florida in the Congress of the United States are hereby requested and urged by the Legislature to co-operate and aid in every proper way in securing early and favorable action by the Congress upon the construction of the said canal and waterway.

"Section 5. That this Act shall take effect immediately upon its becoming a law."

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate Amendment to—

House Bill No. 779:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1292, 1293, 1294, 1797, 5783, 5787, 5788, 5789, 5790 and 5792 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to game.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1. In Section 3, line 10, strike out the words "sixteen dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Twenty-five dollars."

Amendment No. 2. In Section 5, line 11, strike out the words "January 31st" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "February 15th."

Amendment No. 3. In Section 6, line 6, strike out "January 31st" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "February 15th."

Amendment No. 4. In Section 5, lines 14 and 15, strike out the words "ten dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Twenty dollars."

Amendment No. 6. In Section 8, line 14, strike out the words and figures "ten dollars (\$10.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Twenty dollars."

Amendment No. 7. In Section 9, line 7, strike out the words "one hundred and fifty" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Three hundred."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 630:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal all laws and parts of laws under which compulsory cattle dipping may be carried on in Escambia County, Florida, and all laws permitting the holding of special elections in said county on compulsory dipping of cattle in said county.

Which amendments are as follows:

Strike out Section 2 of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the following:

"Section 2. That this Act shall become effective whenever a majority of the qualified electors voting at a special election in Escambia County, Florida, shall vote in favor of making this Act effective. That such election shall be called and held whenever a petition shall be presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, signed by at least twenty-five per cent of the qualified electors of said county petitioning that such election be called and held. That upon the filing of such petition with the Board of County Commissioners of said County, it shall be the duty of said board to call and hold such election, and to pay out of the county funds the expense of calling and holding same, and such election shall be called and held and returns thereof made and the result declared in the same manner as is now provided by law for holding general elections in said county. And such board shall give notice of such election prior to holding the same by publishing such notice in two newspapers published in said county for at least once each week for four weeks prior to holding such election. That all persons qualified by the laws of the State of Florida to vote at any general election in Escambia County, Florida, shall be qualified to vote at such special election. And if a majority of those voting at such election shall vote in favor of making this Act effective, the same shall become effective from the time the returning board shall declare that a majority of such voters have voted in favor of making the same effective."

At the end of the title insert the following: "and to provide for an election to determine when this Act shall become effective."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 784:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 8208 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1919, same being entitled An Act to provide for the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Walton County, Florida, and to provide penalties for violations of this Act.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1—In Section 3, line 4, after the words "said county," strike all of the remainder of Section 3.

Amendment No. 2—In Section 7, lines 3 and 4, where it reads "to appoint three fit and proper persons," change to read as follows: "and appoint from one to three fit and proper persons."

Amendment No. 3—After the word "qualified" in line 11 of Section 7, add the following: "provided, further, that the Board of County Commissioners shall have the power and authority to remove any road commissioner or overseer so appointed, upon his failure to perform his duties as road commissioner or overseer."

Amendment No. 4—At the end of Section 7 add the following: "And provided further, that in the event the Road Commissioners should fail to list all the names of the lands in their respective districts, the overseer shall have the right and power to summons them and work them on their respective roads. Also, the road overseer shall keep a correct record of his hands, and in the event any of said persons shall fail to work said road or fail to pay the amount required by this Act, he shall report said person or persons to the Board of County Commissioners or the County Solicitor of said county for prosecution if necessary."

Amendment No. 5—In Section 11, line 2, where it reads "over the age of twenty-one and fifty-five years," change

to read as follows: "over the age of twenty-one and under the age of fifty-five."

Amendment No. 6—In Section 11, line 21, after the word "payment" add the following: "and shall file with the Tax Collector a statement for the Board of County Commissioners showing the amount so paid and the names of the person or persons paying same."

Amendment No. 7—In Section 15, line 8, strike out the word "or."

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 77:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 15 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida pertaining to the qualifications of electors.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1—After the seventh paragraph in Section 1, insert the following: "Section 2. This Act shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor."

Amendment No. 2—At the end of paragraph 6 in Section 1, insert the following: "Seventh: No person shall be permitted to vote or shall such vote be counted, unless the person registers to vote in the election district in which he or she shall have his, or her, permanent place or residence."

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—
The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 888:

A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 7430, Laws of Florida, and Chapter 7964, Laws of Florida, and creating Napoleon B. Broward Drainage District in the Everglades Drainage District; defining its boundaries; prescribing its powers, privileges, duties and liabilities; naming the present board of supervisors of said district and providing for the appointment by the Governor of their successors; defining their term of office and prescribing their duties and powers and fixing their compensation; levying certain taxes upon the lands in said district and providing for the collection thereof and for the sale of lands for the non-payment thereof, and the issuing of sale certificates and deeds pursuant to such sale; providing for the drainage and reclamation of the lands in said district and for protecting the same from overflow and damage by water and authorizing the borrowing of money, and the issuance of notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness in order to better carry out the provisions of this Act; providing for the assumption and payment by the district of certain outstanding indebtedness and the refund of certain amounts evi-tax sale certificates; providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain by the district and the acquisition and disposition of land and other property; empowering the district to enter into all contracts necessary for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act; providing for the cancellation of certain assess-

ment for benefits and damages and judgments and decrees confirming the same; providing for the cancellation by the circuit courts of certain tax sale certificates and other orders applicable thereto; providing for the return of certain moneys in the hands of the clerks of the circuit court deposited for the redemption of lands; providing that the Board of Supervisors shall have the right to sue and be sued, authorizing the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of Florida to loan money to the district; and authorizing and empowering the board of supervisors to appoint certain agents, employees and servants and to do and perform other acts necessary for the carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 2, page 1, strike all lines 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, to the word "thence" in line 21, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Beginning at the southeast corner of Section thirty-six (36), Township fifty (50) South, Range 41 East; thence run north along the Range line between Ranges forty-one (41) and forty-two (42) East, in Township fifty (50) South to the corner of the center line of the North New River Canal; thence northwesterly along the center line of North New River Canal to the junction of said North New River Canal with a drainage ditch on the north side of said North New River Canal known as 'Plantation Canal' situate and extending approximately along the range line between ranges forty (40) and forty-one (41) East, in Townships fifty (50) and forty-nine (49) South; thence to the spoil bank on the west side of the said Plantation Canal; thence northerly following the west side of the spoil bank of the said Plantation Canal to the northeast corner of Section twenty-five (25) in Township forty-nine (49) South, Range forty (40) East."

Amendment No. 2—

In Section forty-nine, strike out the entire section.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendment to—
House Bill No. 526:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Dr. W. H. Cox, State Health Officer of the State of Florida, for the loss of salary, fees and traveling expenses prior to and subsequent to his unlawful suspension from the said office.

Which amendment is as follows:

In Section 2, line 2, strike out the words "State Treasury," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "State Board of Health Funds."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has receded from its amendment to—
Senate Bill No. 77:

A bill to be entitled An Act to consolidate the auditing and examination of State and County finances; to provide for the auditing and examination under the direction and supervision of the Governor and Comptroller of all accounts, books, records, warrants, papers and

transaction of all State officials and of the officers of the several counties of the State; to provide for reports of the same to be made to the Governor and Comptroller; to confer the necessary powers and authority for carrying out the purposes and provisions of this Act; to make appropriations therefor; to repeal Sections 188, 189, 190, 191, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202 and 204 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, creating the office of State Auditor and Assistant State Auditor, and prescribing their duties and powers; to repeal all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act, and to provide penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act.

Which amendment is as follows:

In Section 15, line 3, strike out the words "six times each year," insert in lieu thereof the following: "once each year and at such other time as the Governor may see fit and direct."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 77, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 1053:

A bill to be entitled An Act increasing the pension to William Mickler.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1053, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 423:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a Composite Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Florida; to define its duties and powers; to regulate the issuing and recording of licenses to practice medicine and surgery in this State; to define what is the practice of medicine and surgery; to fix the fees for licenses issued by said board; to provide for revocation of license and cancellation of recordation of same; to repeal Section 2169 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to requirements to obtain certificates; Section 2170 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the appointment of a Board of Eclectic Medical Examiners by the Governor; Section 2171 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the examination of applicants by said Eclectic Board; Section 2172 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the duty of said Eclectic Board; Section 2173 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the appointment of Medical Examiners; Section 2174 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the qualification of members of the State Board of Medical Examiners; Section 2175 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the terms of office of the members of the said Board; Section 2176 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to

the election of a president and secretary of said board, and the authority to make rules for the government thereof; Section 2177 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the meetings of said board; Section 2178 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to examinations by said board; Section 2179 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to certificates issued by said board; Section 2180 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to temporary certificates to practice medicine; Section 2181 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to duty of member of said board granting temporary certificate; Section 2182 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to record of such certificate; Section 2183 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to examination fee; Section 2184 of Revised General Statutes of Florida, exempting and excepting certain persons in the provisions of said law; Section 5534 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to violations of law regulating the duties of Medical Examiners; Section 5535 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the practice of medicine as physician without certificate; and to prescribe penalties for violations of this Act.

Which amendments are as follows:

In Section 3, line 5, strike out the word "regular," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "allopath."

In Section 13, line 18, strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "a fraudulent."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to in-

form the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 702:

A bill to be entitled An Act imposing license taxes upon dealers in gasoline, or other like products of petroleum, and lubricating oils; providing for reports of sales of such commodities to the Comptroller; providing for the disposition of the moneys derived from such tax and fixing a penalty for the violations hereof.

Which amendments are as follows:

Strike out the figures "\$25.00" where the same appears in the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$5.00."

In Section 9 at the end of Section, add "or kerosene oil."

Strike out the words in the bill "lubricating oil 1 cent per quart."

In title strike out the words "lubricating oil."

Also—

House Bill No. 956:

"A bill to be entitled An Act to return to Monroe County, Florida, the State two-mill road tax and the automobile license tax after cost of collecting same has been deducted.

Which amendments are as follows:

In Section 1, line 2, strike out the words "two mills."

In Section 2, line 1, insert the word "hereafter" before the word "received."

In Section 1, line 1, insert the word "hereafter" before the word "raised."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to in-

form the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 1050:

A bill to be entitled An Act to consolidate and declare as one Special Tax School Districts Numbered 8, 9, 11 and 12 of Citrus County, State of Florida, into one district to be known as Special Tax School District No. 8, and to provide for trustees, the levying of taxes, and the general government of the same, and to provide a referendum therefor.

Also—

House Bill No. 1051:

A bill to be entitled An Act to place the name of J. T. Stewart, of Houston, Florida, on the pension roll of the State of Florida, and to authorize the payment of a pension to the said J. T. Stewart.

Also—

House Bill No. 1049:

A bill to be entitled An Act remitting under certain circumstances the penalties which have accrued or hereafter to accrue prior to January 1st, 1922, on the delinquent drainage taxes due to the Bimini Drainage District in Flagler County, Florida, levied for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, and providing that the Board of Supervisors of said Bimini Drainage District shall be authorized to remit to any tax payer under certain circumstances any penalty heretofore paid on delinquent drainage taxes of said district levied for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, upon the application of tax payers who have paid such penalties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1050, 1051, 1049, contained in the above message, were read the first time and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 893:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, Section 5 and Section 19 of Chapter 6367 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Leesburg; to legalize the ordinances of said town and of official acts thereunder; to create and establish the municipality of the City of Leesburg, in Lake County, Florida, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers and officers thereof."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 893, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

And the Bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 26:

Relative to the employment by the Secretary of State of a proofreader to assist in getting out the Session Laws of 1921.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 26, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was laid over under the rules.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 861:

A bill to be entitled An Act imposing license and privilege taxes, providing for the payment thereof, and prescribing penalties for doing business without a license, or other failure to comply with the provisions thereof of a tax on all taxable property in this State to meet the same.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 861, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 56:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 1986, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, pertaining to the appointment of members of the State Board of Health, and to repeal Section 1987, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, regulating the times of meeting of the State Board of Health, and to repeal Section 1989, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, providing for the election of a president and health officer of the State Board of Health, and repealing Section 1990, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, defining the term of office of each member of the State Board of Health, and to organize and constitute the State Board of Health of the State of Florida, and to provide for the payment of the State Health Officer of the State of Florida, and to fix his salary.

With the following amendments:

Amendment No. 1. Strike out Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 and re-number Sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 to read Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Amendment No. 2. In the title of the bill strike out all of the title after the words "A bill to be entitled An Act" down to the words "to provide for the appointment of the State Health Officer of the State of Florida, and to fix his salary."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 56, with amendments, contained in the above message, was read the first time.

Mr. Singletary moved to lay the bill and amendments thereto on the table.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 56, with amendments thereto, was laid on the table.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 550:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to Seaborn Gregory O'Neal.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 550, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to in-

form the Senate that the House of Representatives has receded from its former amendment to—

Senate Bill No. 432:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create certain territory in Washington County, Florida, into a special road and bridge district, and to authorize and validate the building and construction of certain roads, culverts and bridges therein, and to provide for the issuance of bonds to pay therefor and for the levy of a tax to pay the interest on and to redeem said bonds, and for the appointment and election of a board of bond trustees, and to invest said trustees with certain powers and duties, and to provide for the use and control of the general road and other funds collected within said territory for road purposes; to provide for paying over to the Town of Chipley, Florida, certain of the proceeds of said bonds and other funds for the improvement and construction of its roads and streets; and providing for an election to determine whether certain provisions shall become effective.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Strike out Section 20 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The foregoing provisions contained in Sections one to nineteen, both inclusive, of this Act, shall become effective only upon approval of sixty per cent (60%) of the qualified voters who pay taxes on real or personal property, or whose husband pays taxes on real or personal property in said road and bridge district. Provided, all persons shall be considered qualified voters who were qualified voters in such district at the time of the general election held in November, 1920, or who have thereafter qualified to vote in said district prior to the bond election. Said election shall be held July 19, 1921.

And has adopted in lieu thereof the following amendment:

Strike out Section 20 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The foregoing provisions contained in Sections one to nineteen, both inclusive, of this Act, shall become effective only upon approval of a majority of the qualified voters who pay taxes on real or personal property, or whose husband pays taxes on real or personal property in said road and bridge district. Provided, all persons shall be considered qualified voters who were qualified to vote in such district at the time of the general election held in November, 1920, or who have thereafter

qualified to vote in said district prior to the bond election said bond election shall be held July 1, 1921.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 432, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The Senate resumed consideration of House Bill No. 593:

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 593:

In Section 3 strike out the words "maintenance \$65, 190.00," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "maintenances, \$45,000.00."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was withdrawn.

Mr. Roland offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 593:

In Section 4, line 12, printed bill, strike out the figures "\$100,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$50,000.00."

Mr. Roland moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 593:

"Add new Section No. 5. For Dormitory, \$100,000.00."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was withdrawn.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 593, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 593, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Eulley, Johnson, Knight, Lowry,

Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—24.

Nays—Messrs. Mapoles, Singletary—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Johnson moved that the passage of House Bill No. 593 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Taylor called up House Bill No. 820:

Upon which a roll call was pending.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Igou, Overstreet, Stokes, Taylor—7.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Crosby, Hulley, Johnson, Knight, Lowry, Mapoles, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—19.

So the bill failed to pass.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that House Bill No. 1051 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1051:

A bill to be entitled An Act to place the name of J. T. Stewart, of Houston, Florida, on the pension of the State of Florida, and to authorize the payment of a pension to the said J. T. Stewart.

Was taken up.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1051 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1051 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1051 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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And House Bill No. 1051 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Bradshaw, Campbell, Crosby, Eaton, Igou, Mapoles, Russell, Shelley, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—12.

Nays—Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Cooper, Epperson, Johnson, Roland, Turnbull—7.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Bradshaw moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1051 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the Senate amendments to Substitute for—House Bill No. 341:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing any department of the State and any County and any Special Road and Bridge District in this State to aid in the construction or maintenance of any State or State Aid Road by contributions to the State Road Department, of cash, bonds, time warrants, or other things of value, made heretofore or to be made hereafter, in the construction or maintenance of roads, and authorizing the State Road Department to accept and receive such aid or any such contributions, and use the same in the construction or maintenance of State or State Aid roads."

In Section 1, insert at the end thereof the following: "And the State Road Department be, and is hereby

granted authority to enter into agreements with the County Commissioners of the several counties of the State of Florida, in which county road bonds have been, or which shall hereafter be voted by the people of said county, and in which one or more roads of said county has or have been or shall hereafter be designated as a part of the system of State highways or as a State aid road, whereby the State Road Department shall construct the roads and the bridges incident thereto, which shall be, or shall have been so voted to be constructed by the people, and in accordance with specifications which shall be agreed upon between the said State Road Department and the County Commissioners of said county, and to receive from the said counties in consideration thereof, the proceeds of the sale of the said county bonds so voted, the net amount after deducting expenses and commission on the sale and administration of said bonds. The State Road Department in no instance to receive from said counties an amount in excess of the actual cost of the construction of said roads."

In Section 6, strike out the section and add the following:

"Section 6. The State Road Department is hereby authorized to propose and obtain the designation of any of the said roads and bridges so constructed, as Federal Aid projects, and to obtain from the United States payment on account of said construction in accordance with existing regulations.

"Section 7. The Federal Aid money so obtained shall first be applied to the completion of the said roads for which said bonds have or shall be voted, if the money from the bonds that shall be sold is not sufficient therefor, and any residue shall be expended in the construction of any portion of the State Highway system or any State aid road as the State Road Department and the County Commissioners of said counties may agree upon.

"Section 8. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

"Section 9. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its becoming a law."

In the title, add thereto the following: "and to construct roads and bridges in said counties as a part of the State Highway system with the proceeds of the several

county road bonds issued, and to obtain Federal Aid in connection therewith."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Mr. Weaver moved that local bills be taken up.
Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1049:

A bill to be entitled An Act remitting under certain circumstances the penalties which have accrued or hereafter to accrue prior to January 1st, 1922, on the delinquent drainage taxes due to the Bimini Drainage District in Flagler County, Florida, levied for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, and providing that the Board of Supervisors of said Bimini Drainage District shall be authorized to remit to any taxpayer under certain circumstances any penalty heretofore paid on delinquent drainage taxes of said district levied for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920 upon the application of taxpayers who have paid such penalties.

Was taken up.

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1049 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1049 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1049 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1049 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Campbell moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1049 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 564 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Mr. Cooper called up—

Senate Bill No. 524:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful for cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, goats and hogs to run or roam at large in that portion of Manatee County, Florida, lying north of the Manatee River and west of the range line dividing ranges eighteen and nineteen, to provide for the impounding and sale of same when found running and roaming at large in violation of this Act, to provide for the recovery of damages suffered by persons or to property by reason thereof, to provide punishment for owners of any such animals who permit same to run at large in violation of this Act, and submitting the ratification thereof to the qualified voters of Manatee County, Florida, who are residents of the territory described in this Act.

Was taken up, with the House Amendment to the same pending, which reads as follows:

In Section 1 strike out the 12th, 13th and 14th lines.

Mr. Cooper moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Campbell, Cooper—2.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Crosby, Eaton, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Overstreet, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—18.

So the Senate refused to concur in the House amendment.

House Bill No. 567 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 663 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 733 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 718 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 786 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bills Nos. 946, 937, 970, 1014 and 1016 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 984:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Sarasota County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 984 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 984 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 984 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 984 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wil-son—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Cooper moved that the passage of House Bill No. 984 be immediately certified to the House of Representa-tives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 1015:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of counties which now have a pop-ulation of more than twelve thousand five hundred and not more than thirteen thousand, and which has a total assessed valuation of more than six and one-half mil-lion dollars.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1015 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1015 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1015 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1015 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Mapoles, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Tay-lor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Igou, moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1015 be immediately certified to the House of Represen-tatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 894:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the opera-tion, control, management, repair, extension or sale of a waterworks plant, an electric light plant, and an ice plant by the City of Leesburg, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 894 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 894 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 894 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 894 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Igou moved that the passage of House Bill No. 894 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 1044:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm all the proceedings for extending the boundary lines of Sugar Bowl Drainage District of Manatee County, for amending the plans of reclamation of said district, and to validate and to issue of bonds and all assessments of said district for raising funds to carry out the said amended plan of reclamation.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1044 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1044 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1044 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1044 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-

son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Cooper moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1044 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 893:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, Section 5 and Section 19 of Chapter 6367 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Leesburg; to legalize the ordinances of said town and of official acts thereunder; to create and establish the municipality of the City of Leesburg, in Lake County, Florida, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers and officers thereof"

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 893 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 893 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 893 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 893 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Igou moved that the passage of House Bill No. 893 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 1050:

A bill to be entitled An Act to consolidate and declare as one Special Tax School Districts Numbered Eight, Nine, Eleven and Twelve of Citrus County, State of Florida, into one district, to be known as Special Tax School District Number Eight, and to provide for trustees, the levying of taxes, and the general government of same, and to provide a referendum therefor.

Was taken up.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1050 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And House Bill No. 1050 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1050 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1050 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lowry, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wil-son—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Wilson moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1050 be immediately certified to the House of Represen-tatives

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

House Bill No. 1032:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the birds and wild life of the County of Orange and State of Florida, and to prevent the hunting of same during the closed sea-son.

Was taken up.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1032 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1032 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1032 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1030 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wil-son—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1032 be immediately certified to the House of Rep-resentatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 1025:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Gadsden, State of Florida, on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1918, to determine whether or not compulsory systematic tick eradication work and the compulsory dipping of cattle should be con-ducted in said county.

Was taken up.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1025 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1025 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be further waived

and that House Bill No. 1025 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1025 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epper-son, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lowry, Malone, Ma-poles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shel-ley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—30.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Anderson moved that the passage of House Bill No. 1025 be immediately certified to the House of Representa-tives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Shelley moved that House Bill No. 960 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 960:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to L. J. Wood, of Sopchoppy, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 960 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 960 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 960 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 960 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Knight, Malone, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Johnson, Turnbull—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Shelley moved that the passage of House Bill No. 960 be immediately certified to the House of Representa-tives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Eaton moved that House Bill No. 78 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 78:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 708 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the pay-ment of poll tax and the duty of Tax Collector.

Was taken up.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 78 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 78 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 78 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 78 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Malone, Rowe, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Eaton moved that the passage of House Bill No. 78 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Taylor moved that Senate Bill No. 528 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 528:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of M. M. Whitehurst.

Was taken up, and read a second time in full.

Mr. Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 528 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 528 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Hulley, Igon, Johnson, Knight, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, Taylor, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—22.

Nays—Mr. Crosby—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Taylor moved that the passage of Senate Bill No. 528 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton withdrew—

Senate Bill No. 176.

Mr. Weaver moved that House Bill No. 650 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 650:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the sale of milk, cream and the sale or manufacture of ice cream within the State of Florida.

Was taken up, and read a second time in full.

Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 650:

Strike out Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. The standards for milk and cream shall be as follows: Milk is the whole, fresh, clean lacteal secre-

tion obtained by the milking of one or more healthy cows, properly fed and kept, excluding that obtained within fifteen days before, and five days after calving, or such longer period as may be necessary to render the milk practically colostrum-free; and shall contain not less than eight and fifty one-hundredth (8.50) per cent solids, not fat, and three and one-quarter (3.25%) per cent. milk fat. Cream shall contain not less than eighteen per cent. of milk fat, and not more than two-tenths per cent. of acid reacting substance calculated in terms of lactic acid. From and after the passage of this Act, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to sell or offer for sale any milk or cream that does not comply with the above standard.

Mr. Crosby moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 650:

Strike out Section 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. The standard for ice cream shall be as follows: Ice cream is a frozen product made wholly from cream, condensed milk, or evaporated milk and sugar, with or without a natural flavoring, and contains not less than fourteen per cent. of milk fat. Fruit ice cream is a frozen product made wholly from cream, condensed or evaporated milk, and sugar, and sound clean, mature fruits, and contains not less than twelve per cent of milk fat. Nut ice cream is a frozen product made wholly from sugar, cream, condensed or evaporated milk, and sound, nonrancid nuts, and contains not less than twelve per cent of milk fat. From and after the passage of this Act, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to manufacture, sell or offer for sale any ice cream that does not comply with the above standard.

Mr. Crosby moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 650:

In Section 3 strike out Section 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 3. Any frozen milk product that does not comply with standards for ice cream provided in Section 2 shall have plainly printed on each package, either whole-

sale or retail, the common names of the ingredients contained therein, and shall not be sold under the name of ice cream.

Mr. Crosby moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Weaver moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 650, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 650, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Crosby, Eaton, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lowry, Overstreet, Rowe, Russell, Suckley, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells—22.

Nays—Mr. Malone—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

Mr. Weaver moved that the passage of House Bill No. 650 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

Mr. Butler moved that House Bill No. 342 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 342:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and real estate salesmen, creating the Florida Real Estate Commission, prescribing its membership, powers and duties, fixing the compensation for the services of its members, and vesting in such Board the authority to employ such assistants and agents on such terms as it deems advisable, and vesting in said Board the power and authority to prescribe and pass upon the qualifications of real estate brokers and salesmen before a license is granted, and to petition the Judge of the Circuit Court to revoke licenses, and to provide a penalty for the violations of the provisions of this Act.

Was taken up.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 342 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 342 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 342:

Strike out all of Section 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 4. Commission Created; Qualifications of Members. There is hereby created the Florida Real Estate Commission which shall consist of five members, three of whom shall be superannuated ministers of the gospel affiliated with any of the recognized Christian churches, and who have followed the work of the ministry within the State of Florida for the period of at least ten years prior to the date of their appointment."

Mr. Russell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 342 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 342 was read a third time in full.

Pending the passage of the bill—

Mr. Russell moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Whereupon at 1:30 A. M. the Senate stood adjourned until 10 o'clock Friday, June 3, 1921.

Friday, June 3, 1921

10 O'CLOCK A. M.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler,

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